

IX.

FORM OF NOTICE OF PROTEST TO INDORSER, TO BE GIVEN BY A
NOTARY PUBLIC.

(SEE SECTION 102.)

Take notice that a bill of exchange for Rs. _____ drawn by _____ under date _____
the _____ on _____ and payable at _____, and bearing
your endorsement, has been dishonoured by non-acceptance (or non-payment, as the case may
be) and protested, and that you are held responsible therefor.

(Signed) A. B.,

Notary Public.

X.

FORM OF DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY AN ACCEPTOR FOR HONOUR.

(SEE SECTION 109.)

Know all men that I, A. B., of _____, in the Province of _____, in British
India, do hereby, on the _____ day of _____, 188____, in the presence of C. D., Notary
Public appointed under section 3 of the Indian Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, of _____,
in the _____ of _____, in British India, declare that I accept under protest the protested
bill of exchange hereto annexed (or "a literal transcript whereof and of everything written or
printed thereupon is hereto annexed") for the honour of (*here insert the name of the drawer or
indorser for whose honour the bill is accepted*) (or "for honour").

(Signed) A. B.

In the presence of C. D.,

Notary Public.

XI.

FORM OF DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY A PAYER FOR HONOUR.

(SEE SECTION 113.)

Know all men that I, A. B., of _____, in the Province of _____, in British India, do
hereby, on the _____ day of _____, 188____, in the presence of C. D., a Notary Public
appointed under section 3 of the Indian Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, of _____, in the
_____ of _____, in British India, declare that I will pay the protested bill of exchange
hereto annexed (or "a literal transcript whereof and of everything written or printed thereupon
is hereto annexed") for the honour of (*here insert the name of the party for whose honour the
payment is to be made*).

(Signed) A. B.

In the presence of C. D.,

Notary Public.

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING
LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE
ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 67.

The Council met at Government House, Simla, on Wednesday, the 18th
July, 1883.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.G., G.M.S.I.,
G.M.I.E., *presiding*.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, G.C.B., C.I.E.

Major the Hon'ble E. Baring, R.A., C.S.I., C.I.E.

Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble W. W. Hunter, LL.D., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble J. W. Quinton.

The Hon'ble D. G. Barkley.

BIKRÁMA SINGH'S ESTATES BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT moved that the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to confirm and give effect to an award made by His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General regarding certain matters in dispute between Sardár BIKRÁMA SINGH and the Kapúthhala State be taken into consideration.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill as amended be passed.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

BURMA LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the law relating to Local Self-government in British Burma. He said:—

“The Government of India has for some time had under consideration the question of amending the law relating to municipalities in British Burma, so as to bring it more completely into harmony with those principles of local self-government which have been recently laid down by the Government of India, and generally adopted in other provinces. The Bill which I am now asking for leave to introduce has been prepared for the purpose of making such amendments in the existing Municipal Act for British Burma (Act VII of 1874) as are needed for the purpose of giving effect to this object. We have found it convenient to repeal this Act, and opportunity has been taken to introduce various improvements in matters of minor detail, such as arrangement, drafting and so forth, which the experience of the last eight or nine years has suggested.

“I do not propose to trouble the Council with any detailed account of the Bill, the provisions of which are fully explained in the Statement of Objects and Reasons. It will be sufficient to refer very shortly to one or two of the more important alterations which it will make in the law.

"In the first place, the Local Government is empowered by the Bill to include, within the limits of a municipality, not merely a town, but also any tract of country adjoining a town. This provision is not suited to the circumstances of the larger seaport towns, but it will enable a small town to be made the nucleus of some kind of organization for the neighbouring rural district. Where the provision is applied, it will be necessary to supplement the municipal fund from rural sources, and also to give such additional powers to the municipal authorities as will be requisite to enable them to deal with rural questions. Provisions having these objects in view have accordingly been introduced into the Bill.

"Then, as to the constitution of the municipal authority. Under the existing law, the municipal committee may be either elected or appointed. As a matter of fact, I believe the members of municipal committees are at present appointed in every place except Rangoon and Maulmain, where the elective system has been recently introduced. Under the Bill, at least three-fourths of the municipal board, as the authority is to be hereafter called, must be elected, except in places where the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that no suitable system of election can be devised. The chairman of a municipal board will be elected, except in places which the Local Government excludes by notification from the operation of this rule.

"The Bill does not reproduce the provision of the existing law which requires a municipality to maintain out of its funds an establishment of police. Police charges will now be borne by the Government, and a considerable amount of money will thus be set free for the purposes of general improvement.

"Under the existing Act, the Chief Commissioner has absolute power to cancel, suspend or limit any of the acts, proceedings or rules of any municipal committee. For this power the Bill proposes to substitute a carefully modified system of control similar to that established by the Local Self-government Bills recently introduced for other provinces. Again, under the existing law, the Chief Commissioner has full discretionary power to determine by rule the limits within which the local authorities are to be empowered to execute public works. This discretion is limited by the Bill, which provides that the four largest municipalities may undertake, of their own authority, works for which the estimates do not exceed Rs. 20,000, and that other municipalities may in like manner undertake works for which the estimates do not exceed Rs. 10,000."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the *Gazette of India*, and in the *British Burma Gazette* in English and in such other languages as the Local Government might think fit.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

EMIGRATION BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley be added to the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the Emigration of Natives of India.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 25th July, 1883.

D. FITZPATRICK,

SIMLA;

The 20th July, 1883.

Secretary to the Government of India,

Legislative Department.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 17th JULY 1883.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Heavy rain fell during the past week along the Western Ghats from Travancore as far north as Baroda and Surat. At Baroda the river overflowed its banks stopping communication and damaging property. A break is much wanted in Surat and neighbourhood. In Sind prospects are improving with the rise of the river. Seasonable weather prevails over the Carnatic, but in parts of Mysore and of the Southern Mahratta Country more rain is needed. General, and in most places sufficient, rain has fallen throughout the Berars, the Central India States, and Rajputana. The tanks in Marwar continue empty and water is scarce, but the recent rain has much improved prospects. The rainfall has been generally less in Assam and Burma, and slightly increased in Bengal compared with the previous week. More rain is however required in some districts of Bengal for the rice crop. In the Central Provinces there has been heavy rain at Jubbulpore, and the weather continues generally favourable to agricultural operations. Rain fell during the week throughout the North-Western Provinces and Punjab, but in most districts it has been slight and insufficient. The latest weather telegrams report rain from most stations, except in the north of the Punjab.

There is hardly any change to record in agricultural operations. Harvesting is going on in Madras and Mysore, transplanting of rice on the western coast and throughout Bengal, Assam, and Burma. In parts of Bengal and Assam it is retarded for want of sufficient rain. Early rice and jute are being gathered in some districts of the former province. Ploughing and sowing for the *kharif* are approaching completion in Bombay, the Berars, and Central Provinces, and are in general progress in Northern India, although delayed in parts by insufficient rain.

Young locusts are appearing in the Deccan districts and form an increasing source of danger to the young crops. Some destruction has been caused in Baroda by floods. In Orissa the damage apprehended from excessive rain has proved slight and partial.

The public health is generally good, but the mortality from cholera is still severe in two districts of the Bombay Presidency.

Prices show a further rise in the North-Western Provinces.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(July 18th)		
Bellary ...	99 (average of six stations).	Standing crops good; harvest paddy, yield average.
Kurnool ...	191 (average of eight stations).	Small-pox in one and cattle-disease in five taluks.
Ganjam ...	283 (average of fifteen stations).	Standing crops red gram, gingelly, and sugarcane thriving; cholera slight in Chicacole.
Kistna ...	10 (average of thirteen stations).	Agricultural operations progressing; fever, guinea-worm, small-pox, and cattle-disease slight.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	126 (average of eleven stations).	Standing crops good where water available; harvest <i>kar</i> , paddy, &c., yield half; cholera in parts of one taluk; small-pox and cattle-disease slight in parts of one taluk.
Coimbatore ...	110 (average of ten stations).	Standing crops good, except <i>cholam</i> , in parts of three taluks; harvest <i>cholam</i> and <i>cumboo</i> in parts, yield average; cholera in parts of two taluks, 8 deaths.
Tanjore ...	29 (average of six stations).	Standing crops generally good, except in one taluk; but not flourishing for want of sufficient rain; cholera in two taluks, 35 deaths; cattle-disease slight in one taluk.
Madura ...	44 (average of two stations).	Standing crops fair, except in two taluks; harvest dry crops and paddy in parts.
Malabar ...	1150 (average of fourteen stations).	First crops progressing in all taluks; small-pox slight in nine taluks; fever and cattle-disease in parts, latter slight.
Travancore ...	5447	Paddy in good condition; fever prevails. <i>General Remarks.</i> —General prospects fair.
Bombay—(July 18th)		
Kurrachee ...	295; average of twelve other stations, 202.	Small-pox disappeared from Kurrachee, now prevalent in nine villages in the districts, 39 fresh cases, 2 deaths, 24 remaining sick; river at Kotri on 16th, 16 feet 10 inches, against 17 feet on same date last year; fever in five talukas; <i>kharif</i> sowings progressing and rice transplanting commenced; wheat, red rice, and <i>bajri</i> in Kurrachee 26, 32 and 38, in Dadur 32 and 48, in Tatta 26, 28 and 36, and in Sujawal 26, 34 and 40 lbs. per rupee, respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Average of nine talukas, 110.	River rising daily; want of water felt in taluka Badin; small-pox in seven talukas; wheat 25, <i>bajri</i> 39, <i>juari</i> 50, red rice 28, and white rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmedabad ...	230	Total rainfall 1419; sowing progressing; wheat 26 and <i>bajri</i> 30 lbs. per rupee.
Baroda ...	1023	Total rainfall 3160; river flooded its banks on 16th, communication between camp and city and railway station stopped for some hours, some damage to property; health good; <i>bajri</i> 27 and rice 24 lbs. per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—contd.		
Surat ...	11.18	Total rainfall 36.52, break wanted; sowing recommenced in some talukas; cattle-disease in Olphad; fever in Surat, Balsar, and Pardi; <i>juari</i> 35½ and <i>magli</i> 43½ lbs. per rupee.
Nasik ...	Heavy rain throughout the district.	Cholera still prevails in almost all talukas; transplanting of rice, <i>magli</i> , and <i>wari</i> in Dangi villages in progress and in others sowing of <i>tasar</i> pulse crops nearly completed; old locusts still to be seen in a few places, young locusts in Niphad, Sinnar, and Yeola; wheat 25, <i>bajri</i> 28, and rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Heavy rain daily, except on 17th; total of week 24.17.	Total rainfall up to date 51.97, being 16.42 above average; abnormal temperature from 4° cool to 2° warm, vapour in air normal; abnormal wind northerly till 15th, afterwards wind normal.
Poona ...	Maximum 5.56; minimum .32 at Indapur.	Cholera cases 705, fatal 284; <i>bajri</i> 37 and <i>juari</i> 45½ lbs. per rupee, in Poona <i>bajri</i> 32 and <i>juari</i> 39 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	3.66 in Rahuri; 2.99 in Sanganner; 1.85 in Kopergaon; 1.46 in Jamkhed; slight in other talukas.	Sowing of <i>kharif</i> in progress everywhere; cholera 1,286 attacks, 623 deaths; cattle-disease in Karjat; <i>juari</i> maximum 66 lbs. per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 42 in Kopergaon; <i>bajri</i> —maximum 54 lbs. in Jamkhed, minimum 33 in Kopergaon.
Sholapur ...	.40	Total rainfall 13.30; <i>kharif</i> sowings nearly completed; <i>juari</i> 62 and <i>bajri</i> 51 lbs. per rupee; cholera cases 305, deaths 100.
Dharwar ...	Slight rain in eastern talukas, heavy in western talukas; maximum at Hangal, 6.43; in Kalghutgi and Kod above 5.0 and in Dharwar above 3.0.	Sowing retarded in eastern talukas for want of rain; break desired in the western talukas; rice, sugarcane, and other standing crops promising; rice fields in Hangal and Kalghutgi being weeded; <i>juari</i> being sown in some places; fever prevails in Hangal and Mundargi; maximum prices— <i>juari</i> 74 lbs. in Kod and rice 40 lbs. per rupee in Hangal; scarcity of drinking-water in villages of Nargund petta as before.
Kanara ...	In Karwar, 23.43; in Kumpta, 22.87; in Sirsi, 19.63; in Halhal, 8.70.	Transplanting and weeding continue; rice plants and garden crops healthy; small-pox in Karwar, Bhalkal, and Sirsi, 1 death; slight fever continues in some places; common rice in Karwar 12½ seers per rupee, in district average 13½ seers per rupee.
Rajkot ...	8.30	Total rainfall 21.0; weather close and hot, except when rain is actually falling; general health fair; sowing operations continue; cholera in Morvi; <i>bajri</i> 29 and <i>juari</i> 25 lbs. per rupee. <i>General Remarks.</i> —Rain throughout the Presidency and Sind, heavy in Guzerat, but wanted in parts of the Southern Mahratta Country; sowing and transplantation of rice still in general progress; locusts in Nasik, Khandesh, Tanna, Ratnagiri, and Satara; cholera in Nasik, Poona, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Khandesh, Tanna, and Kaladgi; small-pox in a few places; fever and cattle-disease in a few districts.
Bengal—(July 18th)		
Chittagong ...	2.12	Weather hot, with occasional rain; transplanting of <i>aus</i> rice almost over; sowing of <i>amun</i> rice continues; prospects fair; prices steady; cholera and cattle-disease still reported.
Dacca ...	6.87	<i>Sail</i> paddy being sown, <i>aus</i> paddy being harvested; in Nawabgunge <i>aus</i> and jute damaged, crops in Tonghi also damaged; sugarcane and <i>amun</i> promising.
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta) ...	2.14	Prospects of crops good; transplanting of <i>amun</i> paddy going on; public health good.
Moorsshedabad ...	.54	More rain much wanted for transplanting operations; prospects of <i>bhadai</i> crop favourable; public health generally good.
Rajshahye ...	95, a good fall of rain	Weather cloudy; crops doing fairly, but require more rain.
Burdwan ...	1.82	Rainfall insufficient for transplanting, especially in Cutwa; prospects of <i>amun</i> crops unfavourable; public health fair.
Rungpore ...	3.52	Prospects of crops favourable; transplanting of <i>amun</i> going on; cholera still prevalent in some parts of the district.
Bhagalpur ...	1.98	Prospects good; <i>bhadai</i> crops promising; <i>murwa</i> and <i>aghani</i> paddy being transplanted in north; public health good.
Purneah ...	1.17	Rain now falling was wanted; prospect of crops good; public health good.
Patna ...	1.39	Ploughing and sowing going on; prospects of crops good.
Durbhunga ...	.51	More rain badly wanted; transplanting checked; prices rising slightly; health good.
Hazaribagh ...	.28	Weather warm and cloudy; prospects of crops continue good; a few cases of cholera reported; general health good.
Cuttack ...	2.41	Weather warm, alternate clouds and sunshine; <i>beali</i> rice being weeded; <i>sarad</i> being reploughed; prices of rice stationary; public health good; crops on low lands in some parts of Jawajpore and Kendrapara sub-divisions suffered slightly from recent floods. <i>General Remarks.</i> —General rain fell during the week, but in many districts the fall was slight; in several places transplanting of <i>amun</i> rice is retarded for want of sufficient rain; early crops are still generally reported to be good, but are in want of rain in some places; the floods in Orissa have caused but little and partial damage to crops on low lands; <i>aus</i> rice and jute are being gathered in some districts; general health is good though cholera still lingers in certain places, and fever is reported from a few districts.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—		
Benares (July 17th)	·9; Chandausi, ·5	<i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress; no sickness of men or cattle; prices steady.
Allahabad („ 18th)	Rain almost nothing till 17th, when ·4 fell at Sadr.	Sky now overcast, giving hopes of more rain which is much wanted for the crops; <i>kharif</i> sowings delayed for want of rain; cholera diminished; prices risen.
Gorakhpur („ 16th)	No rain	Weather muggy; <i>kharif</i> sowings in progress; no epidemic; prices steady.
Jhansi („ „)	1·6; Mau, 2·8; Moth, 1·5; Garotha, 9·2.	Sowing of seed in progress; cotton and <i>juari</i> germinating; prices stationary; health good.
Agra („ 17th)	·9 to 3·5 in six parganas.	More rain needed in some parts of the district where very little has fallen; <i>kharif</i> sowings continue; fever in two and small-pox in one pargana; sporadic cholera in four parganas; prices rising slightly.
Bareilly („ „)	Rain fairly general, but unequally distributed.	Sowings continue; rice in places backward; prices almost stationary; health satisfactory.
Meerut („ „)	Mawana, 1·6; Ghaziabad, ·6; Bagpat, ·4; Hapur, ·8.	Good rain fell this morning (17th); agricultural operations delayed for want of rain; cotton generally sown, but only half the ordinary autumn crop; health good; prices unchanged.
Kumaun („ „)	Rain insufficient	Local crops doing pretty well, but on the point of being injured by drought in a few places; general health good; cattle-disease continues; prices stationary.
Lucknow („ „)	·1; Malabad, ·6; Mohaulganj, nil.	More rain urgently required; prices steady; health of men and cattle good.
Partabgarh („ „)	Sadr, ·2; Khandwa, ·2; Patti, ·3.	Rain to-day (17th); crops coming on fairly, but more rain wanted; general health good; prices have risen slightly.
Sitapur („ „)	·8; Biswan, ·1; Mirrikh, ·2.	Rain more urgently required in two tahsils; crops reported to be drying up; no sickness; prices rising.
Fyzabad („ „)	Sadr, ·4; Bikapur, 1·9; Akbarpur, 1·8; Tanda, ·2.	Sowing of <i>kharif</i> crops completed; fever and small-pox in parts of district; cattle-disease at Akbarpur.
Rae Bareilly („ 16th)	·2; and ·04	Weather cloudy and sultry; <i>kharif</i> sowings arrested for want of rain; prices rising.
Cawnpore („ 17th)	·7 average in five parganas.	Fever and cholera diminished; <i>kharif</i> ploughing and sowing in progress; prices almost stationary.
Farukhabad („ „)	Slight showers only have fallen west of the Ganges since the close of the week reported on; good rain has fallen at head-quarters, and appears to have been pretty general.	Cultivators anxious about insufficiency of rain; slight rise in prices.
General Remarks. —Rain fell in all reporting districts, except Gorakhpur, but the fall was generally slight, and in many districts more is wanted; agricultural operations have been delayed in places owing to scarcity of rain, on the other hand in Moradabad 12 inches, and in Jhansi 9 inches, of rain have fallen; cholera is mentioned only in the Allahabad, Cawnpore, and Agra reports, it has decreased in the two former districts; prices rose in many districts during the week.		
Punjab—(July 17th)		
Delhi ...	1·1	Health fair; prices fluctuating.
Hissar ...	.....	No report received.
Umballa ...	·8	Health fair; prices stationary.
Jullundur ...	·2	Health good; prices rising.
Amritsar ...	1·0	Health good; prices stationary.
Sialkot ...	3·0	Health good; prices stationary.
Ferozepore ...	2·8 at Sadr, less elsewhere.	Health good; prices stationary.
Lahore ...	·8	Health good; slight rise in prices.
Rawalpindi ...	4·3	Health good; fall in prices.
Mooltan ...	·3	Health good; prices fluctuating.
Dera Ismail Khan ...	·8	Health good; prices steady.
Peshawar ...	1·0	A few cases of small-pox; prices almost stationary.
Central Provinces—(July 17th)		
Nagpur ...	2·3	Weather oppressive and showery; cotton sowings completed; <i>juari</i> sowings in progress; a break would be beneficial; cholera slight; prices steady.
Jubbulpore ...	10·39	Weather cloudy and wet, but seasonable and beneficial to crops; common and other sowings continue; small-pox lingering; wheat 22 and rice 14 seers per rupee.
Saugor ...	1·39	<i>Kharif</i> sowings general; cotton being weeded; other crops favourable; prices steady; health good.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Central Provinces— <i>contd.</i>		
Seoni (July 17th)	5.77	Break in rain much wanted; <i>kharif</i> sowings progressing; 8 deaths from cholera; prices steady.
Hoshangabad ...	1.61	Weather cloudy and rainy; sowings continue; cotton being weeded; 2 deaths from small-pox; wheat 14, rice 9, and <i>juari</i> 21 seers per rupee.
Khandwa ...	4.88	Weather cloudy and rainy; sowing almost completed; field destroyed by locusts being resown; 40 deaths from cholera; wheat 16, <i>juari</i> 18½, and rice 14½ seers per rupee.
Raipur ...	1.13	Weather hot and oppressive; prospects good; prices steady.
Sambalpur ...	3.21	Weather seasonable; prospects good; prices steady. ●
British Burma— (July 19th)		
Akyab ...	2.82	<i>General Remarks.</i> —Weather cloudy and rainy; sowings continue; prospect of crops very favourable; prices steady.
Rangoon ...	3.12	Total rainfall up to date 74.54; 9 deaths from cholera in town and 17 in district, otherwise public health good; 167 buffaloes and 13 cows died in four townships; health of plough cattle good, except in five townships; about 206,000 acres ploughed; sowing commenced in some places; ploughing wages from 15 to 40 baskets per man per season.
Bassein ...	4.08	Total rainfall up to date 33.00; public health good; price of paddy from Rs. 101 to Rs. 103 per 100 baskets; prices falling again.
Prome ...	1.60	Total rainfall up to date 38.96; 1 death from cholera in town, otherwise public health good; 53 deaths of cattle in two townships; ploughing progressing.
Amlherst (Moulmein) ...	9.04	Total rainfall up to date 22.81; public health good; health of plough cattle good, except at Mahathaman where 21 deaths are reported; estimated area ploughed 24,000 acres; more rain is required in the Shwaylay township; average ploughing wages Rs. 2.8 per acre.
Toungoo ...	2.02	Total rainfall up to date 70.62; public health in Moulmein and district good; 398 deaths of cattle in two townships; about 80 per cent. fields ploughed, health of plough cattle good; sowing progressing, about 15 per cent. fields sown; nurseries healthy in Moulmein town; ploughing and sowing progressing, about 150 acres ploughed during the week; health of cattle good; about 50 acres of crops destroyed by crabs; transplanting commenced; transplanting wages 8 annas per day.
Assam—(July 18th)		
Gauhati ...	.81	Total rainfall up to date 28.72; public health good; 1 death of cattle in Myoma township; ploughing progressing rapidly; health of plough cattle good.
Sylhet ...	3.38	<i>General Remarks.</i> —Public health keeps good; slight cattle-disease in most districts, but nowhere severe, and not on the increase; ploughing and sowing progressing; price of paddy fairly steady.
Cachar ...	3.92	Weather hot; public health fairly good; reaping of <i>ahu dhan</i> in progress; rain wanted for transplanting <i>sali dhan</i> .
Dibrugarh ...	4.76	Crop prospects favourable; small-pox unabated.
Mysore and Coorg— (July 18th)		
Bangalore ...	.66	Weather cloudy, with rain; transplanting <i>aus</i> crops progressing and that of <i>sali</i> commenced; rice 16 seers per rupee; public health fair; small-pox still reported from Halikandi.
Mysore ...	.25	Weather cloudy; transplanting of <i>sali</i> crops progressing; public health good; cattle-disease reported.
Mercara ...	15.21	More rain wanted in some taluks; sowing operations in progress; standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health good.
Berar & Hyderabad— (July 18th)		
Amraoti ...	1.84	Standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health good.
Akol ...	9.79	Weather stormy; transplanting of rice commenced; serious inconvenience felt on coffee estates from want of labour; health good; prices of food-grains have fallen considerably owing to abundance of supply in Mysore market.
Hyderabad (July 13th)	1 average during week.	<i>General Remarks.</i> —Good rain in Shimoga and Kadwi districts, light rain in other districts; standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; no material change in prices.
Hyderabad („ 19th)	2.15	<i>Juari</i> sowings in progress; wheat 15 and <i>juari</i> 26 seers per rupee. <i>Kharif</i> sowings completed.
Total rainfall from 1st January 9.29; <i>kharif</i> sowings completed, and ground being prepared for <i>abi</i> crops; cholera continues in one taluk, but in a very mild form; prices—wheat 14, coarse rice 10½, white <i>juari</i> 24, yellow <i>juari</i> 27, and <i>tur</i> 23 seers per current sicca rupee.		
Total rainfall from 1st January 11.44; <i>kharif</i> prospects good; <i>abi</i> sowings commenced; weather cloudy, with high winds; cholera in one taluka; prices—wheat 15, coarse rice 11, white <i>juari</i> 22, yellow <i>juari</i> 28½, and <i>tur</i> 25 seers per current sicca rupee.		

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Central India States— (July 18th)		
Indore ...	1.35	Weather normal; season favourable; health good.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	1.5	Health good; weather sultry and cloudy.
Sutna ...	4.42	Rain not yet general; health good.
Rutlam ...		During week ending 6th 13 cases, 5 deaths at Surkhera Sitaman; public health otherwise good.
Sehore ...	6.40	Weather cloudy; crops and public health good.
Neemuch ...	2.53	Weather seasonable; public health good; crops in progress.
Goona ...	1.7	Weather cloudy; <i>kharij</i> sowings continue; health fair; wheat 23 seers 8 chittacks per rupee.
Bhopal ...	.....	No report received.
Agar ...	3.8	Seventy-six cases of cholera, 41 fatal; in city of Agar from 5th instant, 1 fatal case.
Nowgong ...	5.13	Weather seasonable; <i>kharij</i> prospects good; public health fair; prices steady.
Rajputana—		
Abu (July 18th)	7.77	During week heavy rain, high wind.
Sirohi („ 15th)	1.83	Tanks and wells full; health and crop prospects good.
Marwar („ 13th)	1.04	Rain general though unequal throughout Marwar, more copious in districts, but slight in Jodhpur, consequently no water brought into empty tanks; tanks all empty; water obtained from wells with great difficulty; health good; crop prospects much improved since the recent rains; prices stationary.
Moywar („ 15th)	3.54	Tanks and wells good; health and crop prospects very good; weather seasonable.
Haroti („ 14th)	Deoli, 3.21; Tonk, .41	Crops thriving; health good.
Jhallawar ...	.....	No report received.
Ajmere (July 17th)	5.20	Weather seasonable; tanks filling up; health fairly good.
Jeypore („ „)	4.06	Sowings active; cholera in capital and districts abating; prices stationary.
Bhurtpore ...	.....	No report received.
Ulwur (July 17th)	Average 1.64	Sowings continue; cholera continues in four tahsils; prices steady.
Nepal—(July 13th)		
Katmandu ...	5.81; constant rain	Agricultural prospects good; transplanting of rice finished.

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DEPARTMENT OF FIN

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholan, Jowar), <i>Zizania</i> <i>Borgham</i> .			Burrhen Millet (Gumbaz, <i>Malva</i>), <i>Pennisetum</i> <i>spicata</i> .		
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
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Ganjum	11 13	10 5	11 13	17 13	17 13	22 13	22 13	19 10	...	35 14 24	18 21	10 21	13 23	13 19	13
Vizagapatnam	14 0	13 8	8 0	...	...	...	9 8	8 6	9 0	11 5	11 5	11 5	...	23 0 27	13	...	...	...
Godavery . . . . .	...	10 13	12 10	...	...	...	14 0	10 14	13 14	...	14 0	17 0	...	5 17	3 25	0	...	...
Kistna	8 13	9 5	13 11	...	...	...	13 6	11 14	16 13	...	15 0	18 0	...	20 10 20	8 33	10 18	11	...
Nellore	9 0	5 13	13 8	...	...	...	12 6	12 6	11 14	13 5	12 5	16 3	...	28 6 28	6 26	14 30	6 31	14 31
Cuddapah	12 8	14 11	14 11	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	15 0	12 5	12 5	16 3	...	30 14 30	14 30	14 30	2 30	2 18
Anantapur	13 6	13 6	14 6	...	...	...	12 5	12 5	12 5	13 8	13 8	13 8	...	36 0 35	0 31	14 29	2 23	3 25
Belary	16 5	17 5	16 5	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	9 14	11 6	11 13	11 6	...	32 14 32	14 27	0 30	0 30	0 22
Kurnool	12 6	13 5	13 6	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	13 8	15 2	15 2	15 2	...	21 10 21	10 23	0 25	2 25	2 26
Madras	11 5	11 5	10 2	...	...	...	13 14	13 14	13 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chingleput . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	15 0	16 14	17 14	16 14	...	29 2 29	2 32	13 26	6 28	0 29
North Arcot	9 11	9 11	11 14	...	...	...	16 8	16 8	16 15	0 16	17 12	16 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Arcot	10 14	10 8	11 0	...	...	...	17 13	17 6	18 5	16 5	16 5	16 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	11 6	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	15 13	15 13	16 3	16 8	17 11	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tichinopoly	10 10	10 10	9 14	...	...	...	16 0	16 6	15 8	16 8	17 10	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madurai	12 2	12 8	11 11	...	...	...	15 2	16 5	15 8	16 0	17 10	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tinnevely	9 14	9 14	9 3	...	...	...	14 6	13 14	13 8	15 6	14 14	14 8	...	26 2 27	0 26	2 28	10 27	0 35
Coimbatore	14 13	13 14	12 5	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	9 10	12 0	12 0	11 3	...	20 0 30	0 30	0 19	10 21	0 19
Nilgiris	10 10	10 10	9 14	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	14 10	16 0	16 0	15 10	...	29 2 29	2 29	2 26	8 26	5 23
Salom	8 3	8 3	8 10	...	...	...	5 11	9 11	9 11	11 13	11 13	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Canara	8 3	8 3	8 10	...	...	...	14 10	14 10	15 0	15 13	16 13	15 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Melapur	8 10	8 10	7 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	10 11	10 9	10 10	2 25	8 23	11 16	8 3	8 2	7 7	11 4	12 6	12 13	19 4 18	15 19	3 15	5 15	1 15	12
Abneshad	12 0	12 0	12 8	19 8	20 0	...	7 8	7 8	6 8	12 0	12 0	8 0	17 8 17	8 17	0 17	0 15	0 15	0 14
Katra	11 7	11 7	11 7	21 5	21 5	20 0	9 11	9 11	9 2	16 0	16 0	14 9	16 0 17	13 16	0 14	4 14	14 14	0
Surat	11 1	11 6	11 7	12 5	12 7	7 7	7 8	7 9	7 7	8 7	8 7	7 8	16 0 17	11 19	1 14	14 14	1 14	14
Breach	12 4 12	12 4 12	12 5	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	9 6 11	7 11	7 12	9 16	16 0 16	0 16	0 15	4 13	14 13	10
Tanna (Satele)	9 12	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 3	10 0	10 0	10 8	18 10 18	10 18	0 15	0 15	0 15	0
Colaba (Alibeg)	14 0	14 0	14 9	...	...	...	7 10	8 1	7 4	9 15	12 10	10 15	16 0 16	0 16	0 13	14 14	14 14	0
Khandesh (Dhuln)	14 4	14 4	15 8	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	7 7	13 6	13 6	12 2	22 6 22	6 22	...	15 5 15	5 21	3
Nank	13 6	13 2	14 0	...	...	...	9 6	9 3	10 0	11 0	11 0	12 4	19 9 19	9 21	12 16	2 16	2 18	6
Amhednagar	12 8	12 10	12 10	9 4	9 4	...	9 13	9 13	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 4	19 9 19	9 21	12 16	2 16	2 18	6
Poon	14 8	14 8	14 1	...	...	...	10 6	10 15	10 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	25 8 25	12 25	14 31	1 22	0 20	3 23
Sholapur	17 8	18 12	19 0	15 8	17 0	15 0	6 12	6 12	6 8	10 12	10 12	9 0	25 8 25	8 25	0 24	0 26	0 29	0
Kalangi (Bagalkot)	11 0	12 1	12 1	...	...	...	8 9	8 14	9 11	10 6	11 7	11 7	17 0 16	0 16	5 25	5 15	14 15	8 22
Satara . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Belgaum	23 0	23 0	21 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	11 0	24 0 23	0 24	0 26	0 21	0 23	0
Dharwar (Hubli)	9 14	9 14	10 9	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	7 13	14 2	14 2	12 11	16 0 16	0 16	0 18	8 16	8 14	11
Belagiri	11 8	11 8	9 0	1 6	1 6	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	12 4	12 0	12 0	22 13 22	13 22	8 16	0 16	0 16	0
Baram (Karwar)	11 6	11 6	11 6	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	11 6	15 0	15 0	15 0	12 13 22	13 22	8 16	0 16	0 16	0
Pach Mande (Godlira)	9 5	9 5	8 0	...	...	...	6 3	6 3	6 3	7 0	7 0	7 0	12 7 12	7 12	7 14	8 11	3 11	3 9
Aden	13 6	13 9	14 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 2	11 0	14 4	14 8	12 0	18 0 18	0 18	0 15	11 13	6 13	7 14
Asirgarh	9 5	9 5	10 8	...	...	...	7 14	8 3	8 12	11 0	11 11	11 10 11	17 0 17	0 17	13 16	13 17	0 16	0
Basode	13 8	13 8	13 4	...	...	...	6 14	6 14	6 6	9 0	9 0	8 11	17 0 17	0 17	0 12	0 13	0 16	8
Dias	15 4	15 4	14 0	21 0	21 0	16 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	22 8 22	8 22	10 23	5 17	8 17	4 3
Nasirch	16 12	16 6 16	1 23	6 23	0 21	11 11	6 8	6 8	6 8	9 0	10 12	11 0	17 6 17	6 17	8 14	0 14	0 14	9 12
Nasirch	13 12	12 12	4	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	9 0	10 12	11 0	17 6 17	6 17	8 14	0 14	0 14	9 12
Rigkot	14 4	14 4	14 4	25 8	25 8	26 0	12 4	13 4	11 4	16 4	17 8	20 0	32 0 32	0 32	0 32	0 32	0 28	0
Upper South Frontier	13 0	13 13	12 6	23 0	22 0	21 8	9 5	9 0	9 0	12 0	13 0	15 0	28 0 30	0 30	0 26	0 25	0 25	0
Kachch	16 0	16 0	16 0	30 0	35 0	25 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	30 0 30	0 30	0 25	7 31	8 30	0 29
Hellmand (Nakur)	14 6	14 2	13 14	27 9	25 12	25 10	12 4	12 13	13 23	19 8	19 8	19 8	29 8 29	8 27	8 27	8 27	8 24	4
Shikarpur	14 8	14 8	14 12	29 8	29 8	28 8	12 8	12 8	11 12	14 0	14 0	13 15	...	...	...	16 8 16	8 16	12
Sodkur	14 0	14 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Imar & Parkar (Umachok)	14 0	14 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western Districts	16 0	15 8	14 0	20 0	30 0	40 0	18 12	19 0	21 5	23 13	24 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bardwan	13 12	14 0	13 12	19 0	19 0	17 0	18 8	18 12	28 8	24 0	24 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bhaneorah	15 0	15 12	14 0	...	...	...	18 0	16 8	21 0	22 8	21 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berhoom	14 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	17 0	...	18 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	13 8	13 8	18 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 8	18 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hoochly	13 4	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	13 4	14 8	16 0	19 8	20 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Howrah	13 4	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	13 4	14 8	16 0	19 8	20 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Cuttack 13-8 seers, Cuttack 11 seers and Bannaganur 13 seers.

a Retail price of salt at Bannaganur 11 seers, Sonmukhi 12 seers, and Kojha, Bhanaganur, Indas and Kojhaganur 13 seers.

c In the interior retail prices of salt range from 9 to 13 seers.

ANCE AND COMMERCE.

IN SHEETS OF 80 VOLIAMS.

AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.

d In the sub-divisions (with) prices of salt are as follow :—Chital 12-8 seers, and Tumloek and Contal 11 seers. In the sub-divisions ^{of} salt prices are as follow :—Serampore 13-5 seers and Jeonabul 12-5 seers.

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PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																	
		Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholam, Jowar), Hoicus Sorghum.			Burrush Millet (Cumboo, Baira), Pennisetia Spicata.		
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
BENGAL—continued.	Central Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	Calcutta	14 0	14 4	14 0	20 0	19 6	26 8	10 5	10 5	10 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	...
	24-Pergunnahs	13 5	13 5	12 0	16 0	16 0	21 4	8 0	8 0	10 0	16 12	14 0	17 0	...	...	20 0	...	...	...
	Nuddea	14 8	14 8	14 8	...	22 15	26 0	15 4	15 4	17 4	16 13	17 4	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khoolna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	25 0	25 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore	14 8	14 8	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 12	22 12	22 12	24 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Moorsheadabad	15 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	17 12	19 0	19 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Diunepore	13 8	11 0	13 0	...	11 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	19 8	20 6	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rajshahye	16 8	16 8	18 0	30 0	30 0	46 12	13 8	13 8	18 0	17 4	17 4	21 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rungpore	11 7	11 7	16 0	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	17 3	17 3	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bogra	15 0	15 0	17 4	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 8	24 0	24 0	28 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pabna	19 8	19 8	18 12	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	19 8	17 4	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darjeeling	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	9 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri	10 0	10 0	9 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 8	13 4	16 0	16 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.	12 4	14 8	12 4	18 12	19 0	32 0	15 8	15 12	22 0	19 4	19 4	26 12	...	...	19 0	...	...	...
	Dacca	20 0	20 0	22 0	30 0	30 0	35 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	18 0	18 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Farreedpore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	20 0	21 0	21 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Backergunge	11 8	12 0	11 8	...	...	...	16 0	18 0	22 8	17 8	17 8	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	11 6	12 12	11 8	...	...	...	18 8	17 8	22 0	19 4	20 0	28 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tipperah	12 0	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	27 0	22 0	22 0	31 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nonkholy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 4	12 8	16 0	13 5	13 4	17 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	17 0	16 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Behar.	17 8	17 8	16 8	32 0	32 0	34 0	14 0	14 0	11 8	19 0	19 0	21 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Patna	20 8	20 0	17 0	26 0	27 0	28 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gya	17 0	17 0	15 15	25 0	27 0	30 0	11 0	11 8	20 0	15 0	15 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shahabad	18 0	18 0	17 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	21 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Durbhunga	17 0	17 0	14 0	37 0	35 0	35 0	13 8	13 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mozufferpore	18 0	17 0	16 0	30 0	28 0	30 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Saran	17 0	17 0	15 8	27 0	27 0	30 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 0	18 0	21 0	30 0	29 0	32 0	...	...	...
	Chumparan	19 0	19 0	18 0	36 0	40 0	36 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	17 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Monghyr	18 10	18 14	16 12	27 14	31 8	34 9	13 14	14 10	15 12	15 12	16 12	19 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhagnipur	16 6	16 6	14 8	27 12	27 8	30 4	15 2	15 12	18 15	17 10	17 10	22 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Purneah	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	19 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Maldah	17 0	17 8	16 0	...	...	...	14 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Southul Pergunnahs	14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Orissa.	13 2	11 13	14 7	...	...	...	13 2	14 7	17 1	22 5*	23 10	27 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Cuttack	13 2	13 2	11 4	...	...	...	20 0	21 0	22 0	23 10	23 10	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pooree	14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	26 0	28 0	28 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Balasore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	South-Western Frontier Agency.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Haziribagh	16 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	22 0	24 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lohardugga	16 0	17 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	26 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Singbhoom	18 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	32 0	28 0	36 0	32 0	36 0	40 0	36 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Manbhoom	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	19 0	27 0	27 0	34 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior retail prices of common rice vary from 31-8 to 39-6 seers.

f In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 10-8 seers, Barrackpore 12-12 seers, and Dam-Dup 12 seers.

g In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Koochta 12-12 seers, Meherpore 12 seers and Choodanga 12-8 seers and Ranaghat 13 seers.

h In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Sathira and Bagirhat 11 seers.

i In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Jhenidah, Magura and Narail 12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.

j In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Laibagh 11 seers, Jungipore 10 seers, and Kandi 11-8 seers.

k Retail prices of salt at Raigunge 11-8 seers and Neetpore 12 seers.

l In Nattore and Nowgong retail price of salt 12 seers.

m In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Gaibanda 10 seers, Nilphamari 12 seers.

n In Serajgunge retail price of salt 12 seers.

o Retail price of salt at Kurseong 8 seers and Silligoree 10 seers.

p Retail price of salt at Fallacotta in Alipore sub-division 10 seers.

q In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Manickgunge 11 seers, Moonshegunge 10 seers 10-11 chittacks, and Naraingunge 13-4 seers.

r In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Gualundo 10-8 seers, Madaripore 12 seers, Bhanga 11 seers, and Gopalgunge 12-12 seers.

s In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Patuakhali 10-10 seers, Ferozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 9 seers.

t In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Kishoregunge 10-10 seers, Aitua 12 seers, Jamalpore 11 seers, and Nitrokhona 12-5 seer.

INDIA FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JUNE 1883—continued.

IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.

Lesser Millets, Ragi, &c. (Kavara, Veragu, Sawee, Cheena, Coraloo, Murh- wa, Nassei, Panicum Mitaceum, &c.)			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.									Agricultural La- bourer.			Common Mason Carpenter, or Blacksmith.		
Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers.			Retail.			Present fort- night.	Past fort- night.	Correspond- ing fortnight of 1882.	Present fort- night.	Past fort- night.	Correspond- ing fortnight of 1882.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
									Present fort- night.	Past fort- night.	Correspond- ing fortnight of 1882.	Present fort- night.	Past fort- night.	Correspond- ing fortnight of 1882.									
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
...	17 12	17 12	23 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	14 0	14 0	14 9	15 0 0	7 0 0	12 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	18 12	16 0	18 8	90 0	80 0	80 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 12 0	13 5	13 5	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	20 0	20 0	22 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 1 11	2 12 1	11 10	11 10	12 13	6 0 0	6 0 0	7-8 to 15-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	16 0	16 0	12 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	9-0 to 12-0	6-0 to 8-0	10-0 to 15-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	20 0	20 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	10 12	11 0	11 8	7 8 0	6 0 0	13-0 to 15-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	23 0	27 0	25 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	...	3 4 0	3 2 0	10 0	12 0	12 8	5 0 0	5 0 0	7 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	17 8	17 8	17 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 7 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	11 8	11 8	12 0	6-0 to 7-0	5-0 to 8-0	8-0 to 20-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	21 0	21 0	24 12	240 0	240 0	240 0	...	3 12 9	3 4 0	11 4	10 8	12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	7-0 to 15-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	16 0	16 0	15 0	110 0	110 0	135 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 5 3	11 14	11 14	11 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	15 12	15 12	18 12	60 0	67 8	67 8	3 8 0	3 6 8	3 2 8	10 8	10 8	12 0	5-0 to 6-0	6 0 0	10-0 to 15-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	17 8	18 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	3 4 0	3 5 0	3 0 0	12 0	11 4	12 0	6-0 to 7-0	6-0 to 7-8	11-0 to 20-0
9 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	128 0	128 0	160 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
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...	18 8	14 8	21 0	100 0	90 0	91 4	3 4 0	3 2 0	2 15 0	12 0	12 4	13 5	5-0 to 6-0	5-0 to 6-0	8-0 to 20-0
...	16 0	16 0	12 0	120 0	120 0	...	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 5 4	11 8	12 0	11 0	8 8 0	7 0 0	15 0 0
...	18 0	18 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	3 11 0	13 0	13 0	10 9	7 8 0	6 0 0	8-0 to 15-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	15 9	13 4	16 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	12 0	12 4	12 8	8-0 to 9-0	6 0 0	12-0 to 30-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	12 12	13 14	17 0	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	11 8	12 4	12 8	6-0 to 9-0	5-0 to 7-0	7-0 to 16-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	12 0	12 0	16 0	40 0	40 0	80 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	2 14 0	9 0	9 0	13 0	7-8 to 11-4	6-0 to 7-8	7-8 to 10-8	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 2 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	3 8 0	6 4	6 1	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 6 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	7 8 0	6 0 0	13 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	29 8	29 8	30 0	130 0	130 0	130 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	10 8	10 8	10 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	23 8	25 0	26 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	...	3 5 0	3 4 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	2-8 to 3-0	3-0 to 5-0	6-0 to 8-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	28 0	28 1	30 0	120 0	110 0	120 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	12 8	12 8	13 0	4 0 0	5-0 to 6-0	6-0 to 7-8	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 0	40 0	33 0	24 0	25 0	25 0	160 0	160 0	130 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	10 0	10 0	11 0	3-0 to 5-0	3-8 to 5-0	4-8 to 10-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 0	30 0	31 0	26 0	27 0	28 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 2 0	11 8	11 8	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	27 0	28 0	30 0	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 6 0	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	4-12 to 7-8	4-0 to 6-0	6-0 to 10-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	25 13	26 4	31 8	126 0	126 0	126 0	3 2 3	3 2 3	3 1 0	12 1	12 10	12 10	6 0 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	24 0	24 10	29 10	126 8	151 8	151 8	3 0 6	3 3 1	...	12 10	12 10	12 10	3 12 0	4 0 0	5-10 to 7-8	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	22 0	20 0	23 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	...	...	4 10 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	4-11 to 5-10	4-0 to 5-0	7-0 to 16-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	22 0	23 0	26 0	120 0	160 0	120 0	3 4 0	3 7 0	3 0 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	21 0	20 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	...	4 7 0	...	10 0	9 0	10 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14 7	13 2	14 7	17 1	18 6	22 5	80 0	80 0	160 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	5 10 0	4 0 0	7-8 to 10-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	18 6	18 6	15 0	104 0	104 0	100 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	14 0	14 0	14 8	7 0 0	5 0 0	8-0 to 10-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	14 0	14 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	160 0	...	...	...	9 2	8 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 0	30 0	33 0	19 0	18 0	21 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	9 0	9 0	10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
29 0	29 0	38 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	110 0	120 0	120 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	3-0 to 4-8	3-8 to 5-0	6-0 to 12-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	24 0	24 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	3 0 0	4 8 0	5-0 to 12-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 12 0	10 8	10 0	11 0	4 11 0	4 0 0	10 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

- a In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Brahmunberiah 12 seers and Chandpore 12-8 seers.
 b Retail price of salt at Kumeriah 10 seers, and Hathazaree and Cox's Bazar 8 seers.
 c In the interior retail prices of salt range from 8 to 12-4 seers.
 d In Nowada retail price of salt 10 seers.
 e In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are 10-8 to 11 seers.
 f In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Madhubani 9 seers and Majpur 12 seers.
 g In the interior retail prices of salt range from 9 to 12 seers.
 h In the sub-divisions retail price of salt are as follow:—Sewan 11-4 seers, and Gopalgunge 12 seers.
 i In the interior retail prices of salt range from 10 to 12 seers.
 j In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Begusarai 10 seers and Janmuri 11 seers.
 k In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Banka and Soopole 11 seers and Muddehpore 10 seers.
 l In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Kissengunge 9 seers and Arraean (at Hanseegunge) 11 seers.
 m In Khoorda retail price of salt 13 seers.
 n Retail price of salt at Bhadrak 10 seers.
 o Retail price of salt at Chutra 10 seers and Khurrockdiha 11-8 seers.
 p Retail price of salt at Baghnathpore 11 seers, and Burhabazar 10-8 seers.

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																	
		Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Choinm, Jowar), Zizus Sorghum.			Bairash Millet (Camboo, Baira), Pennisetum Spont.		
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
ASSAM.	Sylhet																		
	Cachar																		
	Goalpara																		
	Garo Hills																		
	Kamrup																		
	Darrang																		
	Nowgong																		
	Sibsagar																		
	Lakhimpur																		
	Khás & Jaintia Hills																		
N. W. PROVINCES.	Naga Hills																		
	Dehra Dun																		
	Shahjahanpur																		
	Muzaffarnagar																		
	Meerut																		
	Bulandshahr																		
	Aligarh																		
	Kanpur																		
	Garhwal																		
	Bijnor																		
	Moradabad																		
	Budaun																		
	Bareilly																		
	Shahjahanpur																		
	Tarai Pergumna																		
	Muttra																		
	Agra																		
	Farrukhabad																		
	Mainpuri																		
	Etawah																		
	Etah																		
	Jalaun																		
	Jhansi																		
	Lalitpur																		
	Cawnpore																		
	Fatehpur																		
	Banda																		
	Allahabad																		
	Hamirpur																		
	Jaunpur																		
	Gorakhpur																		
	Basti																		
	Azamgarh																		
	Mirzapur																		
	Benares																		
	Ghazipur																		
	Balia																		
	Pilibhit																		
OUDH.	Lucknow																		
	Unao																		
	Bara Banki																		
	Sitapur																		
	Haradui																		
	Kheri																		
	Fyzabad																		
	Bharaich																		
	Gonda																		
	Kai Barel																		
PUNJAB.	Sultampur																		
	Fartabgarh																		
	Delhi																		
	Gurgaon																		
	Karnal																		
	Hissar																		
	Rohtak																		
	Siras																		
	Umballa																		
	Ludhiana																		
	Simla																		
	Jullundur																		
	Hoshiarpur																		
	Kangra																		

IN SHEERS OF 80 BOLAHs.

AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.

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PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

PROVINCES.		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																								
		DISTRICTS.			Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Choum, Jowar), Hoicus Sorghum.			Bairash Millet (Cumbao, Bajra), Pennisetum glaucum.						
					Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.				
		S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	
PUNJAB—continued.	Amritsar																									
	Siālkot																									
	Gurdāspur																									
	Lahore																									
	Ferozepore																									
	Gujranwāla																									
	Rāwalpindi																									
	Jhelum																									
	Gujrāt																									
	Shahpūr																									
	Mooltan																									
	Jhang																									
	Montgomery																									
	Muzaffargarh																									
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Dera Ismail Khān																									
	Dera Ghazi Khān																									
	Banna																									
	Peshāwar																									
	Kohāt																									
	Hāzara																									
	Nāgpur																									
	Bhindāra																									
	Chānda																									
	Wardha																									
	Bālaghat																									
	Jubbulpore																									
	Saugor																									
	Damoh																									
BRITISH BURMA.	Seoni																									
	Mandla																									
	Betūl																									
	Chhindwāra																									
	Hoshangabad																									
	Narsinghpur																									
	Nimār																									
	Raipur																									
	Sambalpur																									
	Bilāspur																									
	Arakan Division.																									
	Akyab																									
	Northern Arakan																									
	Kyaukpoo																									
Sandoway																										
Pegu Division.																										
Rangoon Town																										
Tharrawaddy																										
Prome																										
Irrawaddy Division.																										
Henzada																										
Rassein																										
Thongwa																										
Thayetmye																										
Tenasserim Division.																										

AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.

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PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

CENTRAL INDIA.		RAJPOOTANA.		COORG.		MYSORE.		PROVINCES.			
Districts.		Districts.		Districts.		Districts.		Districts.			
Wheat.		Barley.		Rice (best sort).		Rice (common).		Great Millet (Choum, Jowar), Holcus Sorghum.		Burrhus Millet (Gumboo, Bajra), Pennisetia Spicata.	
Present fortnight.		Present fortnight.		Present fortnight.		Present fortnight.		Present fortnight.		Present fortnight.	
Past fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Past fortnight.	
Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	
Bangalore	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2	S. Ch. 11 7 12 4 12 2
Kolar	11 7 12 4 12 2	11 7 12 4 12 2	11 7 12 4 12 2	11 7 12 4 12 2	11 7 12 4 12 2	11 7 12 4 12 2	11 7 12 4 12 2	11 7 12 4 12 2	11 7 12 4 12 2	11 7 12 4 12 2	11 7 12 4 12 2
Yankar	14 0 14 0 14 0	14 0 14 0 14 0	14 0 14 0 14 0	14 0 14 0 14 0	14 0 14 0 14 0	14 0 14 0 14 0	14 0 14 0 14 0	14 0 14 0 14 0	14 0 14 0 14 0	14 0 14 0 14 0	14 0 14 0 14 0
Mysore	10 8 11 0 10 4	10 8 11 0 10 4	10 8 11 0 10 4	10 8 11 0 10 4	10 8 11 0 10 4	10 8 11 0 10 4	10 8 11 0 10 4	10 8 11 0 10 4	10 8 11 0 10 4	10 8 11 0 10 4	10 8 11 0 10 4
Shimoga	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received
Kandur	14 11 14 11 12 10	14 11 14 11 12 10	14 11 14 11 12 10	14 11 14 11 12 10	14 11 14 11 12 10	14 11 14 11 12 10	14 11 14 11 12 10	14 11 14 11 12 10	14 11 14 11 12 10	14 11 14 11 12 10	14 11 14 11 12 10
Chitaldroog	14 0 14 0 16 0	14 0 14 0 16 0	14 0 14 0 16 0	14 0 14 0 16 0	14 0 14 0 16 0	14 0 14 0 16 0	14 0 14 0 16 0	14 0 14 0 16 0	14 0 14 0 16 0	14 0 14 0 16 0	14 0 14 0 16 0
Coorg	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received
Lepore	9 5 8 15 7 15	9 5 8 15 7 15	9 5 8 15 7 15	9 5 8 15 7 15	9 5 8 15 7 15	9 5 8 15 7 15	9 5 8 15 7 15	9 5 8 15 7 15	9 5 8 15 7 15	9 5 8 15 7 15	9 5 8 15 7 15
Kishengur	16 8 16 8 16 8	16 8 16 8 16 8	16 8 16 8 16 8	16 8 16 8 16 8	16 8 16 8 16 8	16 8 16 8 16 8	16 8 16 8 16 8	16 8 16 8 16 8	16 8 16 8 16 8	16 8 16 8 16 8	16 8 16 8 16 8
Kerowlee	17 8 16 12 15 8	17 8 16 12 15 8	17 8 16 12 15 8	17 8 16 12 15 8	17 8 16 12 15 8	17 8 16 12 15 8	17 8 16 12 15 8	17 8 16 12 15 8	17 8 16 12 15 8	17 8 16 12 15 8	17 8 16 12 15 8
Ulwar	19 6 18 6 17 0	19 6 18 6 17 0	19 6 18 6 17 0	19 6 18 6 17 0	19 6 18 6 17 0	19 6 18 6 17 0	19 6 18 6 17 0	19 6 18 6 17 0	19 6 18 6 17 0	19 6 18 6 17 0	19 6 18 6 17 0
Bharpore (City)	18 1 19 8 17 8	18 1 19 8 17 8	18 1 19 8 17 8	18 1 19 8 17 8	18 1 19 8 17 8	18 1 19 8 17 8	18 1 19 8 17 8	18 1 19 8 17 8	18 1 19 8 17 8	18 1 19 8 17 8	18 1 19 8 17 8
Ajmer	15 8 16 0 14 8	15 8 16 0 14 8	15 8 16 0 14 8	15 8 16 0 14 8	15 8 16 0 14 8	15 8 16 0 14 8	15 8 16 0 14 8	15 8 16 0 14 8	15 8 16 0 14 8	15 8 16 0 14 8	15 8 16 0 14 8
Deoli Cantonment	19 4 19 2 16 0	19 4 19 2 16 0	19 4 19 2 16 0	19 4 19 2 16 0	19 4 19 2 16 0	19 4 19 2 16 0	19 4 19 2 16 0	19 4 19 2 16 0	19 4 19 2 16 0	19 4 19 2 16 0	19 4 19 2 16 0
Eringpura	16 0 16 6 16 10	16 0 16 6 16 10	16 0 16 6 16 10	16 0 16 6 16 10	16 0 16 6 16 10	16 0 16 6 16 10	16 0 16 6 16 10	16 0 16 6 16 10	16 0 16 6 16 10	16 0 16 6 16 10	16 0 16 6 16 10
Strohee	13 4 14 0 17 0	13 4 14 0 17 0	13 4 14 0 17 0	13 4 14 0 17 0	13 4 14 0 17 0	13 4 14 0 17 0	13 4 14 0 17 0	13 4 14 0 17 0	13 4 14 0 17 0	13 4 14 0 17 0	13 4 14 0 17 0
Abu	12 0 13 0 15 6	12 0 13 0 15 6	12 0 13 0 15 6	12 0 13 0 15 6	12 0 13 0 15 6	12 0 13 0 15 6	12 0 13 0 15 6	12 0 13 0 15 6	12 0 13 0 15 6	12 0 13 0 15 6	12 0 13 0 15 6
Anand	13 4 13 4 17 2	13 4 13 4 17 2	13 4 13 4 17 2	13 4 13 4 17 2	13 4 13 4 17 2	13 4 13 4 17 2	13 4 13 4 17 2	13 4 13 4 17 2	13 4 13 4 17 2	13 4 13 4 17 2	13 4 13 4 17 2
Hilly Tracts of Meywar	20 0 20 0 18 8	20 0 20 0 18 8	20 0 20 0 18 8	20 0 20 0 18 8	20 0 20 0 18 8	20 0 20 0 18 8	20 0 20 0 18 8	20 0 20 0 18 8	20 0 20 0 18 8	20 0 20 0 18 8	20 0 20 0 18 8
Meywar (Oodypore)	13 10 13 4 14 1	13 10 13 4 14 1	13 10 13 4 14 1	13 10 13 4 14 1	13 10 13 4 14 1	13 10 13 4 14 1	13 10 13 4 14 1	13 10 13 4 14 1	13 10 13 4 14 1	13 10 13 4 14 1	13 10 13 4 14 1
Banaswari (Meywar Agency)	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received
Parbhani (")	15 11 15 0 15 5	15 11 15 0 15 5	15 11 15 0 15 5	15 11 15 0 15 5	15 11 15 0 15 5	15 11 15 0 15 5	15 11 15 0 15 5	15 11 15 0 15 5	15 11 15 0 15 5	15 11 15 0 15 5	15 11 15 0 15 5
Mewar (Jodhpore)	15 10 15 6 14 11	15 10 15 6 14 11	15 10 15 6 14 11	15 10 15 6 14 11	15 10 15 6 14 11	15 10 15 6 14 11	15 10 15 6 14 11	15 10 15 6 14 11	15 10 15 6 14 11	15 10 15 6 14 11	15 10 15 6 14 11
Bikaner	11 11 11 11 12 0	11 11 11 11 12 0	11 11 11 11 12 0	11 11 11 11 12 0	11 11 11 11 12 0	11 11 11 11 12 0	11 11 11 11 12 0	11 11 11 11 12 0	11 11 11 11 12 0	11 11 11 11 12 0	11 11 11 11 12 0
Boudnee	21 0 21 4 16 8	21 0 21 4 16 8	21 0 21 4 16 8	21 0 21 4 16 8	21 0 21 4 16 8	21 0 21 4 16 8	21 0 21 4 16 8	21 0 21 4 16 8	21 0 21 4 16 8	21 0 21 4 16 8	21 0 21 4 16 8
Kotah	20 0 20 0 16 4	20 0 20 0 16 4	20 0 20 0 16 4	20 0 20 0 16 4	20 0 20 0 16 4	20 0 20 0 16 4	20 0 20 0 16 4	20 0 20 0 16 4	20 0 20 0 16 4	20 0 20 0 16 4	20 0 20 0 16 4
Tonk	19 0 19 0 13 14	19 0 19 0 13 14	19 0 19 0 13 14	19 0 19 0 13 14	19 0 19 0 13 14	19 0 19 0 13 14	19 0 19 0 13 14	19 0 19 0 13 14	19 0 19 0 13 14	19 0 19 0 13 14	19 0 19 0 13 14
Jhalwar	18 8 19 14 15 4	18 8 19 14 15 4	18 8 19 14 15 4	18 8 19 14 15 4	18 8 19 14 15 4	18 8 19 14 15 4	18 8 19 14 15 4	18 8 19 14 15 4	18 8 19 14 15 4	18 8 19 14 15 4	18 8 19 14 15 4
Shimpoora	17 7 17 2 17 12	17 7 17 2 17 12	17 7 17 2 17 12	17 7 17 2 17 12	17 7 17 2 17 12	17 7 17 2 17 12	17 7 17 2 17 12	17 7 17 2 17 12	17 7 17 2 17 12	17 7 17 2 17 12	17 7 17 2 17 12
Dholpur	17 2 17 9 16 8	17 2 17 9 16 8	17 2 17 9 16 8	17 2 17 9 16 8	17 2 17 9 16 8	17 2 17 9 16 8	17 2 17 9 16 8	17 2 17 9 16 8	17 2 17 9 16 8	17 2 17 9 16 8	17 2 17 9 16 8
Indore	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received
Gwalior	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received
Goona	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received
Hafelkhand (Sutna)	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received	No return received

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,
(Statistical Branch.)

IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Comparative Statement of the Nett Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue) for the first three months of the official year 1883-84, and of the twelve preceding years.

(IN THOUSANDS OF RUPEES.)

YEAR.	FOR THE THREE MONTHS, APRIL TO JUNE.																								YEAR.		
	BENGAL.				BOMBAY.				SINDH.				MADRAS.				BRITISH BURMA.				TOTAL BRITISH INDIA.						
	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	Total Import Revenue.	Export Revenue.		Total Revenue.	
1871-72 . .	2,46	16,87	5,35	24,68	2,37	7,46	1,11	10,94	27	24	32	83	94	2,99	3,89	7,82	35	1,11	6,69	8,15	6,39	28,67	35,06	17,36	52,42	1871-72.	
1872-73 . .	3,19	15,58	5,68	24,45	1,52	10,34	1,09	12,95	26	22	79	1,27	1,03	3,37	3,16	7,56	91	1,27	11,85	14,03	6,91	30,78	37,69	22,57	60,26	1872-73.	
1873-74 . .	2,24	15,12	3,85	21,21	1,69	8,65	1,12	11,46	30	15	29	74	1,05	3,42	3,86	8,33	90	1,19	11,04	13,13	6,18	28,53	34,71	20,16	54,87	1873-74.	
1874-75 . .	3,06	16,42	3,38	22,86	1,70	8,74	1,01	11,45	30	11	26	67	91	3,70	3,21	7,82	1,11	1,79	8,09	10,99	7,08	30,76	37,84	15,95	53,79	1874-75.	
1875-76 . .	3,08	19,81	4,36	27,25	1,88	10,38	2,88	15,14	28	28	66	1,22	1,13	3,60	3,92	8,65	1,10	1,08	14,60	16,78	7,47	35,15	42,62	26,42	69,04	1875-76.	
1876-77 . .	3,38	15,70	2,66	21,74	2,08	9,12	44	11,64	34	14	7	55	1,47	3,30	2,26	7,03	1,30	1,40	9,92	12,62	8,57	29,66	38,23	15,35	53,58	1876-77.	
1877-78 . .	3,80	19,07	3,06	25,93	2,61	10,90	47	13,98	55	22	13	90	1,35	1,85	48	3,68	1,38	1,56	8,49	11,43	9,69	33,60	43,29	12,63	55,92	1877-78.	
1878-79 . .	3,39	16,13	3,24	22,76	2,27	10,62	58	13,47	48	11	9	68	1,51	2,60	1,14	5,25	2,12	1,84	9,96	13,92	9,77	31,30	41,07	15,01	56,08	1878-79.	
1879-80 . .	2,89	15,23	1,93	20,05	2,40	8,32	63	11,35	71	21	7	99	1,30	1,91	1,30	4,51	1,84	1,46	12,40	15,70	9,14	27,13	36,27	16,33	52,60	1879-80.	
1880-81 . .	3,33	12,19	1,85	18,17	2,29	10,75	53	13,57	1,21	25	8	1,54	1,41	2,49	2,44	6,34	1,32	1,87	12,64	15,83	9,56	28,35	37,91	17,54	55,45	1880-81.	
1881-82 . .	3,59	13,46	3,15	20,20	2,85	10,85	58	14,28	1,14	36	11	1,61	1,24	2,51	2,14	5,89	1,90	1,91	13,82	17,63	10,72	29,09	39,81	19,80	59,61	1881-82.	
1882-83 . .	3,85	1	3,42	7,28	3,02	—68*	50	2,84	92	2	18	1,12	1,42	...	1,11	2,53	2,32	1	18,99	21,32	11,53	—64*	10,89	24,20	35,09	1882-83.	
1883-84 . .	3,62	3	4,81	8,46	2,83	14	34	3,31	97	1	16	1,14	1,28	1	1,55	2,84	2,25	5	15,56	17,86	10,95	24	11,19	22,42	33,61	1883-84.	

* The amount refunded is greater than the duty collected.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,
STATISTICAL BRANCH;
Calcutta, 23rd July 1883.

D. BARBOUR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XXV of 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 1ST JULY 1882.		Total mean length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 30TH JUNE 1883.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 1ST JULY 1882.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH JUNE 1883.		Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total.	Per mile open per week.		
	<i>Guaranteed.</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>
7th July 1883	Eastern Bengal	173	96,894	560	207	1,12,365	543	9,66,272	428	12,09,243	446	2,34,971	...
7th ditto	Oudh and Rohilkhand	547	1,10,009	201	547	1,06,779	195	14,78,914	206	17,36,301	244	2,57,387	...
7th ditto	Sind, Punjab & Delhi	676	2,18,996	324	748	2,89,091	386	25,89,629	291	33,07,119	344	7,17,490	...
30th June 1883	Madras	858	1,94,540	227	861	1,30,061	151	18,81,623	167	17,07,276	153	...	1,74,347
30th ditto	South Indian	655	1,05,151	161	655	85,758	131	10,71,792	125	10,37,776	122	...	34,016
7th July 1883	Great Indian Peninsula	1,458	4,89,385	336	1,458	5,37,004	368	1,07,89,029	566	1,17,13,414	618	9,24,385	...
30th June 1883	Bombay, Baroda and Central India	461	3,06,309	664	461	1,74,085	378	35,13,198	580	38,22,698	638	3,09,500	...
	TOTAL	4,827	15,20,793	315	4,937	14,35,143	291	2,22,90,457	351	2,45,25,827	382	22,35,370	...
	<i>State.</i>												
7th July 1883	East Indian	1,507	8,44,197	560	1,509	11,55,469	766	1,17,02,020	591	1,40,90,792	719	23,88,772	...
7th ditto	Calcutta and South-Eastern	33	11,595	351	56	7,695	137	55,751	146	80,964	120	25,213	...
7th ditto	Nalhati	27	1,582	59	27	1,397	52	18,708	53	21,491	61	2,783	...
7th ditto	Northern Bengal	233	46,361	199	230	42,833	186	4,95,325	162	5,28,106	177	32,781	...
7th ditto	Tirhoot	85	11,035	130	166	13,538	82	1,70,182	153	2,16,830	102	46,648	...
2nd June 1883	Patna-Gya	57	9,477	166	...	(a)	...	(b)94,551	181	(c)93,015	181	...	1,536
7th July 1883	Muttra-Hathras	29	2,746	95	29	2,287	79	31,453	83	34,493	91	3,040	...
7th ditto	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	87	10,190	117	87	7,506	86	89,601	78	90,223	80	622	...
7th ditto	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	1,039	87	12	817	68	14,888	94	15,691	101	803	...
7th ditto	Rajputana-Malwa	1,117	3,61,944	324	1,117	2,76,200	247	31,08,867	212	36,07,200	248	4,98,333	...
7th ditto	Wardha Coal	45	24,966	555	45	20,413	454	1,83,075	309	2,11,067	361	27,992	...
7th ditto	Nagpur & Chhattisgarh	98	11,197	114	149	15,033	101	2,13,705	166	5,25,271	271	3,11,566	...
7th ditto	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley	161	26,992	168	161	22,173	138	4,37,520	207	4,14,614	198	...	22,906
7th ditto	Sindia	75	7,414	99	75	6,147	82	86,004	88	84,837	87	...	1,167
7th ditto	Punjab Northern	412	88,853	216	419	58,159	139	8,09,918	155	7,85,237	143	...	23,681
7th ditto	Indus Valley and Kandahar	660	1,15,715	175	660	2,16,312	328	11,34,439	131	22,23,025	259	10,88,586	...
7th ditto	Muttra-Achmeta	23	1,850	80	23	1,090	47	16,817	55	19,582	65	2,765	...
7th ditto	Kaunia-Dhuria	32	1,188	37	32	1,673	52	21,026	50	25,256	61	4,230	...
7th ditto	Rewari-Ferozepore	...	...	...	89	8,900	100	...	...	84,617	73	84,617	...
	TOTAL	3,186	7,34,144	230	3,377	7,02,173	208	69,80,830	167	90,61,519	203	20,80,689	...
	<i>Native States.</i>												
7th July 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal	194	12,978	67	193	15,846	82	3,25,672	127	3,67,270	146	41,598	...
30th June 1883	Nizam's	121	33,553	277	121	15,117	125	2,38,883	150	1,98,693	126	...	40,190
23rd ditto	Mysore	86	18,341	213	...	(a)	...	(d)60,453	57	(e)60,829	59	576	...
7th July 1883	Madras	19	29	2	19	670	35	(f)35	...	10,056	41	10,021	...
	TOTAL	420	64,901	155	333	31,633	95	6,24,843	118	6,36,848	117	12,005	...
	GRAND TOTAL	9,940	31,84,035	318	10,156	33,24,418	327	4,15,98,150	319	4,83,14,986	361	67,16,836	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,91,35,149	147	2,31,91,193	173	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,24,63,001	172	2,51,23,793	188	26,60,742	...

(a) Return not received.

(b) Total receipts from 1st April to 3rd June 1882.

(c) Total receipts from 1st April to 2nd June 1883.

(d) Total receipts from 1st April to 24th June 1882.

(e) Total receipts from 1st April to 23rd June 1883.

(f) Total receipts from 24th June to 1st July 1882.

R. A. SARGEANT, Major, R.E.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
IRRIGATION BRANCH.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS IN BENGAL FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1883-84.

Areas leased for Irrigation up to the end of April 1883.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land under irrigation during month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation last year at same time.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.									RAINFALL, 1883-84.		RAINFALL, 1882-83.		REMARKS.	
								Five years. All crops.	Five years. Khurreef.	ANNUAL LEASES.						GRAND TOTAL.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.		
										Khurreef.	Rubbee.	Sugar-cane.	Bhadol.	Hot weather.	TOTAL.							
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.		
Orissa	Cuttack	Kendrapara	1,289	289.50	89.06	180	746	48	20	68	68	0.03	0.03	1.69	1.69	The khurreef leases expired with the official year 1882-83.	
		Gobri	373.82	218.09	109.23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6	6
		Pattameondee	1,042	27.39	20	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	
		High Level, Section I	675	158.50	18	5	...	...	...	...	67	...	...	...	68	68
		Taldunda, 1st Reach	1,300	188.00	188	267	152	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	23	23
		Ditto, 2nd do.	650	44.00	44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Belasore	Matchgong	650	98.00	98	21	596	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		High Level, Section II	727.16	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ditto do. III	727.16	189.44	...	122	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total	611	1,638	140	25	165	165		
Total of the corresponding period of last year.	123,823	5	5	123,828		
South-Western.	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	67	53,455	53,455	3.41	3.41	2.68	2.68	{ Leases for 36,833 acres expired on the 31st March 1883.	
	Howrah	Panchkoora	523	19	9,801	9,801	2.00	2.00	1.51	1.51		
	Total	63,256	63,256		
	Total of the corresponding period of last year.	103,862	103,862		
Bene.	Shahabad	Western Main	4,342	788	*	1,286	389	3,633	396	396	4,029	0.18	0.18	** No part of the discharge in the Buxar Division was utilized for irrigation during month. Main Western Canal series were closed from 6th to 16th April 1883.	
		Buxar	1,226	71	...	2,505	641	11,036	...	...	...	2,089	...	...	2,089	13,125	
		Arrah	1,660	462	337	10,060	6,606	51,852	...	...	...	1,375	...	2,464	3,839	55,691			
		Eastern Main	1,466	71	58	...	93	214	...	...	...	...	...	...	214	10,991
	Patna and Gya	Patna . . . . .	...	...	...	65	2,415	10,918	...	...	...	8	...	65	73	10,991
		Total	13,916	10,144	77,653	3,868	...	2,529	6,397	84,050		
	Total of the corresponding period of last year.	44,041	11,667	11,667	55,708		
	Grand Total	14,627	11,782	77,653	63,256	...	140	3,868	...	2,554	6,562	147,471
	Grand total of the corresponding period of last year.	44,041	227,685	11,672	11,672	289,398

The 2nd July 1883.

G. F. E. S. NEILL, Major, M.S.C.,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Department.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF FASL KHARIF IN THE PUNJAB FOR 1883-84 UP TO 31st MAY 1883.

CANAL DIVISION.	WATER DISTRIBUTED DURING MAY 1883.				NAVIGATION RETURN CANAL.		LAND IRRIGATED (APPROXI- MATE).		RAINFALL.		CHIEF CROPS (APPROXIMATE).		REMARKS.				
	DEPTH IN CANAL AT REGULATING GAUGE.		GROSS CONSUMPTION, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND.		PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF TRAFFIC.		ZILA.	ACRES.	Average.	During month.	NAME.	Area in acres.					
	Full supply.	Actual through- out.	Estimated full supply.	Actual average throughout.	Up.	Down.											
BARI DOAB CANAL. 1st Division 2nd Division, Main Branch, Lower 2nd do., Lahore Branch Passed out of Escapes TOTAL BARI DOAB CANAL Corresponding period of last year	4.9 4.6 3.35	4.5 4.0 3.1	3,073.60	1,071 996 635 110 2,812 2,451.88	... ... ... ... ... ... ...	... ... ... ... ... ... ...	Gurdáspur Amritsar Lahore	7,017 17,003 26,846 50,866 51,685	1.0 1.1 1.3	0.5 2.0 4.7	Cotton Rice Sugarcane Others	16,633 933 8,969 24,331 50,866 51,685	On the Bari Doab Canal the demands for water during the month was moderate, owing to the cultivators having been occupied in harvest operations. The prospects of the present crop are favorable. There is a decrease of 819 acres as compared with the corresponding period of last year.				
			
		
		
		
WESTERN JUMNA CANAL. Karnál Division Delhi do. Hánsi do. Do. Bulla Head. Passed out of Escapes TOTAL WESTERN JUMNA CANAL Corresponding period of last year	4.33 5.70 9.00 8.80	4.51 5.83 7.78 7.41	2,546	486 845 870 245 250 2,696 2,612	321,614 109,024	... ... ... ... ... ... ...	Umballa Karnál Delhi Rohtak Hissár Jhínd Bikaner Kalsia State	307 7,385 17,137 16,004 8,601 2,904 298 78	0.79 1.37 0.60 0.45 0.50 0.20	1.97 1.22 0.90 1.10 1.00 0.80	Cotton Rice Sugarcane Others	13,879 140 31,278 7,417 52,714 68,131	The operations on the Western Jumna Canal during the month show a decrease of 15,417 acres as compared with those of May 1882; the difference averages nearly 3,100 acres for each of the five following districts: Karnál, Hissár, Jind, Rohtak, and Delhi. There is a total decrease of 13,377 acres of sugarcane in the whole Circle as compared with last year, which is attributed to the low price of sugar prevailing, owing to the large crop of last year.				
	

INUNDATION CANALS. Upper Sutlej Division Lower Sutlej and Chenab Division Indus Canals Muzaffargarh Canals TOTAL INUNDATION CANALS Corresponding period of last year PERENNIAL CANALS, GRAND TOTAL Do. corresponding period of last year	... 																

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING
LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE
ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 67.

The Council met at Government House, Simla, on Wednesday, the 25th
July, 1883.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.G., G.M.S.I.,
G.M.I.E., *presiding*.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, G.C.B., C.I.E.

Major the Hon'ble E. Baring, R.A., C.S.I., C.I.E.

Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble W. W. Hunter, LL.D., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble J. W. Quinton.

The Hon'ble D. G. Barkley.

BOMBAY PORT-DUES BILL.

Major the Hon'ble E. BARING moved that the Bill to give power to reduce
port-dues in the Port of Bombay be taken into consideration.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Major the Hon'ble E. BARING also moved that for the enacting clause of
the Bill the following be substituted, namely:—

“In the Indian Ports Act, 1875, first schedule, for the first entry in the third column
in respect of the Port of Bombay, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

‘Not exceeding four annas per ton for each class of vessels as the Trustees incorporated
under the Bombay Port Trust Act, 1879, may, from time to time, direct.’”

He said that the Motion was a purely formal one. The Bill in its new form
would have the same effect as the Bill as it was originally introduced, that is
to say, it would allow the Bombay Port Commissioners to levy duty at less than
two annas per ton, which they could not do under the existing law. The change
of form was suggested by the Solicitor of the Bombay Government and approved
by that Government. The present proposal was intended to give effect to their
proposals.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Major the Hon'ble E. BARING also moved that the Bill as amended be
passed.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

BURMA LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT moved that the Bill to amend the law relating
to Local Self-government in British Burma be referred to a Select Committee
consisting of the Hon'ble Sir Steuart Bayley, the Hon'ble Messrs. Hope, Quinton
and Barkley, and the Mover.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 8th August, 1883.

SIMLA;

The 27th July, 1883.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India,

Legislative Department.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTION OF DEEDS, CONTRACTS, &c., ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY
OF STATE.

No. 1082.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Home Department (Judicial)
—dated Simla, the 26th July 1883.

Read—

A letter from the Government of the Punjab, No. 172, dated the 16th June 1883, to the address of the Government of India in the Revenue and Agricultural Department.

RESOLUTION.

In exercise of the power conferred by the thirty-third and thirty-fourth of Vic., Cap. fifty-nine, Section two, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the undermentioned class of deeds, contracts, and other instruments referred to in the twenty-second and twenty-third of Vic., Cap. forty-one, Section two, may, in the territories under the administration of the Government of the Punjab, be executed as follows:—

By Deputy Commissioners { Agreements for the recovery of advances under Act X of
1879 (The Northern India Tuccavi Act), together with
interest on the same.

Nos. 1083-84.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this Resolution be communicated to the Government of the Punjab and to the Revenue and Agricultural Department, and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 24th JULY 1883.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Although a general break in the rains seems now to have set in, yet during the early part of the week to which the reports relate good rain fell throughout India, except in some districts of the Punjab. In Bombay the fall was heavy along the Western Ghats, but some deficiency is reported in parts of the Southern Mahratta Country. In Baroda and Sarat the excessive rainfall of previous weeks has been succeeded by light showers. A break would be beneficial in parts of Central India. In Rajputana the rainfall has been light, but favourable; and the tanks have generally a sufficiency of water, except in Marwar where they are empty.

In Burma the rainfall though below average has been generally sufficient. Good rain has fallen all over Bengal; at Burdwan the fall was exceptionally heavy, but in some parts of that district and in Rajshahye, Rungpur, and Purneah more is needed for transplanting of rice. Rain continues to hold off in Gauhati; elsewhere in Assam the fall has been sufficient. Seasonable weather prevails over the Central Provinces, and prospects there are very favourable. In the North-Western Provinces and Oudh ample rain fell in all reporting districts up to the 24th instant, and the crops are reported to be doing well. In the Punjab the fall has been very partial, and more rain is much wanted in several districts.

Harvesting continues in the Madras Presidency, and standing crops are generally in good condition, except in parts of Coimbatore and Tanjore where they are suffering from want of rain. Sowings for the *khari* have nearly been completed in the Bombay Presidency, Central India, and the Central Provinces, and are in full progress in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and the Punjab. The cotton crop is being weeded in the Central Provinces and Berars and promises well. Transplanting of rice is being pushed on in Bengal and Assam. In the former province harvesting of early rice and jute continues, and indigo manufacture has been commenced. Ploughing is nearly finished in Burma, and rice seedlings are being transplanted.

The crops in the Deccan are seriously threatened by locusts. Cattle-disease is reported from most districts.

Cholera appears to be prevalent in Bombay, the Central Provinces, and parts of Bengal; and a severe epidemic is said to exist in the city of Agra in Central India.

Prices are fluctuating.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(July 25th)		
Bellary ...	43 (average of six stations).	Standing crops generally good; harvest paddy, yield average.
Kurnool ...	84 (average of eight stations).	Standing crops good; small-pox in one and cattle-disease in six taluks.
Ganjam ...	152 (average of sixteen stations).	Standing crops red gram, gingelly, and sugarcane thriving; cholera slight at Chicacole; cattle-disease slight at Berhampur.
Kistna ...	125 (average of twelve stations).	Standing crops promising; fever, guinea-worm, small-pox, and cattle-disease slight.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	166 (average of ten stations).	Standing crops good where water available; harvest <i>kar</i> , paddy, &c., yield half; small-pox and cattle-disease slight in two taluks; cholera in one village, 1 death.
Coimbatore ...	13 (average of six stations).	Condition of wet crops good; dry crops in parts of three taluks suffering for want of rain, and in parts of two taluks attacked by insects; harvest <i>cholum</i> and <i>cumboo</i> in parts, yield average; <i>cheena</i> in one taluk; 5 deaths from fever in parts of two taluks.
Tanjore ...	43 (average of six stations).	Standing crops generally good, except in parts of one taluk not flourishing for want of sufficient rain; 37 deaths from cholera; cattle-disease in parts of two taluks.
Madura ...	58 (average of four stations).	Standing crops fair; harvest paddy and dry crops in parts.
Malabar ...	567 (average of fourteen stations).	First crop progressing in all taluks; small-pox slight in all taluks; fever and cattle-disease in parts, latter slight; cholera in Palghat, 6 deaths.
Travancore ...	555	Paddy in good condition; fever prevails.
Bombay—(July 25th)		
Kurrachee ...	30; average of ten other stations, 239.	Small-pox in eight villages in districts, 12 fresh cases, 3 deaths, 10 remaining sick; river at Kotri on 23rd 18 feet 2 inches, against 17 feet 11 inches on same date last year; fever in five talukas; <i>khari</i> sowings progressing; wheat, red rice, and <i>bajri</i> in Kurrachee 26, 32 and 36, in Manjhand 32, 24 and 48, in Sakro 16, 28 and 38, and in Mirpur Botoro 22, 30 and 34 lbs. per rupee respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Rain in ten talukas—average fall 233.	River 3 inches more than on same date last year; small-pox in seven and cattle-disease in two talukas; prices of food-grains steady since last week.
Ahmedabad ...	58	Total rainfall 1477; sowing progressing; wheat 26½ and <i>bajri</i> 30 lbs. per rupee.
Baroda ...	56	Total rainfall 3216; sowing of <i>khari</i> in progress; transplantation of rice in Kadi division commenced; health good; <i>bajri</i> 27 and rice 24 lbs. per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—contd.		
Surat ...	84	Total rainfall 37.36; sowing operations continue; cattle-disease in Olphad; cholera in Burdoli and Bulsar; <i>juari</i> 38 and <i>nagli</i> 43 lbs per rupee.
Nasik ...	At Igatpuri, 12.30; at Peint, 7.79; slight in other places.	Cholera in all talukas except Malegaon, Baglan, and Peint, deaths 99; <i>khari</i> sowings progressing vigorously; wheat 25, <i>bajri</i> 28, and rice 22 lbs. per rupee; young locusts appearing in several talukas, old ones still in a few.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Light rain daily; total of week 1.42.	Total rainfall to date 53.39, being 12.53 above average; abnormal temperature 2° warm; vapour in air slightly in excess of normal; abnormal wind northerly from 20th to 23rd, wind normal on all other days.
Poona ...	Rain in four talukas—maximum 5.0 in Mawal, minimum .57 in Khed.	Cholera cases 510, fatal 205; <i>bajri</i> 37 and <i>juari</i> 46 lbs. per rupee in Poona <i>bajri</i> 32 and <i>juari</i> 41 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	Slight rain in all talukas, except Shrigonda, Karjat, and Rahuri.	Cholera cases 1,355, 663 deaths; cattle-disease in Karjat and Parner; <i>juari</i> —maximum 66 lbs. per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 45 lbs in Kopargaon; <i>bajri</i> —maximum 54 lbs per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 33 lbs. in Kopargaon.
Sholapur ...	41	Total rainfall 13.71; <i>khari</i> sowings nearly completed; <i>juari</i> 62 and <i>bajri</i> 52 lbs. per rupee; cholera cases 745, deaths 352.
Dharwar ...	2.59 in Hangal; 1.94 in Hubli; slight elsewhere.	Crops good; sowings retarded in Kalghatgi and Hangal by excessive moisture and in Navalgand and Ron by want of rain; public health good; 1 case of cholera in Ron; slight cattle-disease in Kalghatgi; <i>juari</i> 74 lbs. per rupee in Ranibennur and Kod, 48 to 63 lbs. per rupee elsewhere; rice 32 and wheat 43 lbs. per rupee.
Kanara ...	In Karwar, 12.89; in Kumpta, 20.20; in Sirsa, 10.08; in Halhal, 4.0.	Total rainfall 95.68; weeding continues, also transplanting in some places; sugarcane and garden crops healthy; small-pox in Karwar, Kumpta, Bhatkal, and Sidapur; fever in some places; cattle-disease in Sidapur; common rice in Karwar 12½ seers per rupee, in district average 13½ seers.
Rajkot ...	25	Total rainfall 21.25; weather cool; general health fair; sowing operations continue; cholera in some villages of Halar; <i>bajri</i> 29 and <i>juari</i> 35 lbs. per rupee.
General Remarks. —Rain throughout the Presidency and Sind, wanted in parts of the Southern Mahratta Country; sowing and transplanting of rice still in general progress; locusts in Nasik, Khandesh, Tanna, Colaba, and Ratnagiri; cholera in all districts of the Deccan, in Tanna, Colaba, Surat, and Kaludgi; small-pox, fever and cattle-disease in a few districts.		
Bengal—(July 25th)		
Chittagong ...	13.28	Weather seasonable; prospects of crops fair; <i>aman</i> doing well; prices stationary; cattle-disease still reported; general health good.
Dacca ...	3.24	Paddy being sown; <i>aus</i> paddy being harvested; <i>aman</i> paddy sugarcane, and other crops thriving well; jute damaged by worm in Nawabgunge.
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta) ...	4.76	Prospects good; early crops promise well; <i>aman</i> being transplanted; public health generally good; rivers rising.
Moorsshedabad ...	5.0	Transplanting operations being pushed on vigorously owing to recent rain; <i>aus</i> also much benefited by it; health on the whole good; cattle-disease has broken out in thana Shamshegunge.
Rajshahye ...	2.58, good rain during week.	Paddy being transplanted; more rain necessary for transplanting some fever reported.
Burdwan ...	14.40; Culna 9.52; Cutwa 5.3.	Transplanting in progress; prospects favourable except in Cutwa where more rain wanted; public health fair.
Rungpore ...	1.27	Weather hot; <i>aus</i> rice and jute being harvested; prospects of <i>aman</i> rice and sugarcane good; more rain wanted; cholera still somewhat prevalent in some parts of district.
Bhagalpur ...	2.68, fair rainfall	Everywhere prospects of crops good.
Purneah ...	3.65	More rain required for transplanting winter rice; health fair; slight fever; rivers rising again.
Patna ...	4.55	Ploughing and sowing going on rapidly; prospects of crops good.
Durbhunga ...	3.9	Transplanting progressing well; prices stationary; health good.
Hazaribagh ...	5.50; ample rain during week.	Weather cloudy and seasonable; prospects of crops good; public health good.
Cuttack ...	3.27	<i>Sarad</i> rice progressing well; <i>beali</i> rice being weeded; public health good; a few cases of cholera in the town.
General Remarks. —Rain in varying quantities fell throughout these provinces during the week; it has generally been pretty good for agricultural purposes, though certain districts still complain of its insufficiency; state of the early crops has been improved, and transplanting of late rice is now being carried on with vigour; harvesting of early rice and jute is going on in parts of Central and Eastern Bengal, and indigo manufacture has commenced in Behar; in Orissa re-sowing is being made on the flooded tracts from which the waters have now receded; cholera is still prevalent in Gya, and is epidemic in one thana of Lohardugga, otherwise the public health is reported to be fair.		

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—		
Benares (July 24th)	11.7; Chandausi, 10.5; Gangapur, 7.7.	The late rains have done immense good to the <i>kharif</i> crops; no sickness of men or cattle; prices steady.
Allahabad („ 25th)	Abundant and constant rain in all tahsils, except Bara; general average, 5.6; Bara, 1.4.	<i>Kharif</i> sowings nearly completed and crops doing well; cholera diminished in district, but has appeared in city in mild form; prices generally fallen.
Gorakhpur („ 23rd)	Rain general, 3.9 since the 17th instant.	<i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress; some cattle-disease; prices rising.
Jhansi („ „)	7; Mau, .5; Moth, 2.0; Garotha, .2.	Sowing in progress; health good; people engaged on field work.
Agra („ 24th)	From 2.9 to 8.1 in all parganas.	<i>Kharif</i> sowings continue; fever in two parganas; sporadic cholera in one pargana; prices steady.
Barilly („ „)	Ample and general rain.	Sowings everywhere progressing; slight fall in the price of barley and wheat, <i>juari</i> and <i>arhar</i> risen; health remains satisfactory.
Meerut („ „)	3.0; Shardana, 3.4; Bagpat, 5.4; Mowana, 3.2; Ghaziabad, 2.2; Hapur, 3.1.	Weather seasonable; <i>kharif</i> crops sown; health good; prices stationary.
Kumaun („ „)	Rain not heavy, but sufficient and general.	Crops very good; general health good; cattle-disease continues; prices stationary.
Lucknow („ „)	10.8; Maliabad, 5.1; Mohanlalganj, 8.0.	Prices steady; prospects favourable; public health good.
Partabgarh („ „)	Sadr, 4.0; Kunda, 5.5; Patti, 4.3.	<i>Kharif</i> sowings nearly completed; slight small-pox reported in Patti; general health good; prices almost stationary.
Sitapur („ „)	General rain throughout district; average, 8.0.	Prices stationary.
Fyzabad („ „)	Sadr, 5.5; Akbarpur, 8.1; Bikapur, 4.7; Tanda, 5.4.	Weeding going on; public health good; cattle-disease in part of district.
Rae Bareilly („ 23rd)	Good rain all over the district; Sadr, 4.1 and .09.	Weather cloudy; agricultural operations in progress; prices stationary.
Cawnpore („ 24th)	Average in nine parganas, 5.4.	Cholera decreasing; <i>kharif</i> sowings in progress all over the district; prices almost stationary.
Farukhabad („ „)	Abundant and well distributed rain fell throughout the week.	The sowing of the early <i>kharif</i> crops nearly completed, and the land is in good condition for sowings of <i>juari</i> and <i>bajri</i> .
General Remarks. —Ample rain has fallen in all reporting districts during the week, doing much good; the <i>kharif</i> sowings are progressing well, and are nearly completed in a number of districts; the general health is good, and cholera seems to be abating; prices are fluctuating.		
Punjab—(July 24th)		
Delhi ...	1.60	Health good; <i>kharif</i> ploughings in progress; slight rise in prices.
Hissar ...	.....	Health good; <i>kharif</i> sowings in progress; crop prospects good; prices falling.
Umballa ...	3.70	More rain wanted; health fair; <i>kharif</i> sowings in progress; prices stationary.
Jullundur ...	.50	More rain much wanted; health fair; crops backward; prices stationary.
Amritsar ...	4.90	Health good; prices steady.
Sialkot ...	1.0	More rain wanted; <i>kharif</i> sowings in progress; health good; slight fall in prices.
Ferozepore ...	3.60 at tahsil Zira, less elsewhere.	Health good; <i>kharif</i> ploughings and sowings in progress; prices rising.
Lahore ...	No rain	Rain wanted; health good; prices stationary.
Rawalpindi ...	1.50	A few cases of fever in Kahuta tahsil; <i>kharif</i> sowings completed; prices rising.
Mooltan ...	.....	Health good; crop prospects favourable; prices slightly falling.
Dera Ismail Khan ...	.1	Health good; <i>kharif</i> sowings commenced; prices steady.
Peshawar ...	1.90	Health good; prices stationary.
General Remarks. —Rain has fallen in nearly every district, but more is needed; health good, except in the Umballa, Jullundur, and Rawalpindi districts; <i>kharif</i> sowings in progress.		
Central Provinces—(July 25th)		
Nagpur ...	1.73	Weather cloudy, with light showers; sowings almost completed; cholera prevalent throughout the district, 776 cases, 360 deaths; cattle-disease prevalent; prices steady.
Jubbulpore ...	4.77	Weather cloudy and rainy; <i>kharif</i> sowings continue; weeding of cotton commenced; prospects favourable; prices stationary.
Saugor ...	3.42	Rainfall deficient; sowings almost finished; weeding in progress; prospects good; prices steady; health good.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Central Provinces— <i>contd.</i>		
Sambalpur (July 21st)	10.91	Weather wet but seasonable; prospects good; health good; common rice 45 seers per rupee.
Seoni („ 24th)	Heavy rain since 23rd after break of one week.	Transplanting of rice commenced; 10 deaths from cholera; prices stationary.
Hoshangabad ...	3.21	Weather cloudy and rainy; weeding in progress; 7 deaths from small-pox; wheat 15 and rice 9 seers per rupee.
Khan Iwa ...	3.30	Prospects good; 62 deaths from cholera in Burhanpur; wheat 15, <i>juari</i> 20, and rice 15 seers per rupee.
Raipur ...	2.91	Prospects good; 4 deaths from cholera at Nandgaon. <i>General Remarks.</i> —Weather cloudy, with light rain; prospects of crops very favourable; prices steady; severe cholera in some places.
British Burma— (July 26th)		
Akyab ...	20.46	Total rainfall up to date 95.00; 6 deaths from cholera in town and three in district, otherwise public health good; 147 deaths of cattle in three townships, in others health of plough cattle good; ploughing nearly completed; sowing commenced.
Rangoon ...	3.23	Total rainfall up to date 36.23; public health good; price of paddy from Rs. 88 to Rs. 89 per 100 baskets.
Bassein ...	6.85	Total rainfall up to date 45.81; 2 deaths from cholera in Bassein township, otherwise public health good; 44 deaths of cattle in two townships; ploughing progressing; transplanting begun in parts of the district.
Prome ...	3.68	Total rainfall up to date 26.49; public health good; 14 deaths of plough cattle in Shwaydoun; about 32,500 acres already ploughed; more rain wanted in a few circles in the Shwaylay and Shwaydoun townships.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	10.76	Total rainfall up to date 81.38; 2 deaths from cholera in one township, otherwise public health in Moulmein and district good; 938 deaths of cattle in five townships; about 90 per cent. fields ploughed; health of plough cattle generally good; sowing progressing; about 30 per cent. fields sown; crop prospects favourable; nurseries, health, ploughing, and sowing somewhat disturbed on account of high water; health of cattle good; nearly 20 acres of crops destroyed by crabs; transplanting progressing; state of supply of seedlings for transplanting fair.
Toungoo ...	6.78	Total rainfall up to date 35.50; public health good; health of plough cattle good; ploughing progressing rapidly; price of paddy Rs. 64 per 100 baskets.
Kyaukpoo (July 26th)	12.26	Total rainfall up to date 78.32; public health and health of cattle good; half the district ploughed; a fourth of the district sown; cost of ploughing per acre, inclusive of hire of cattle and wages of labourers, Rs. 6.
Sandoway („ „)	18.17	Total rainfall up to date 95.11; public health good; ploughing and sowing progressing; about 4,218 acres ploughed; reports of area sown out in nurseries not received; ploughing wages Rs. 4-8 in northern township.
Hanthawaddy ( „ „ )	.....	Public health and health of cattle good; ploughing progressing; price of paddy varying from Rs. 80, 85 and 95 per 100 baskets.
Pegu („ „)	6.11	Total rainfall up to date 54.41; public health good; slight cattle-disease in Ponglin township; ploughing and sowing progressing; price of paddy from Rs. 75 to Rs. 80 per 100 baskets.
Tharrawaddy („ „)	6.60	Total rainfall up to date 48.02; public health good; 38 deaths of cattle in two townships; health of plough cattle in all other townships good; ploughing and sowing progressing; ploughing wages from 30 to 70 baskets per man; price of paddy from Rs. 90 to Rs. 95 per 100 baskets.
Thonegwa („ „)	5.58	Total rainfall up to date 38.53; public health good; 1 death of cattle in Daybayeh township, otherwise health of plough cattle good; ploughing continues; some damage caused by crabs to nurseries in two townships.
Henzada („ „)	6.69	Total rainfall up to date 39.13; public health good; 7 deaths of cattle in Zaloon township; ploughing progressing, about one-half ploughed, one-seventh transplanted; general appearance of young plants good.
Thayetmyo („ „)	1.33	Total rainfall up to date 19.50; public health good; ploughing continues; transplanting going on.
Shwaygyin („ „)	11.82	Total rainfall up to date 66.75; public health good; 55 deaths of cattle in Zokechake circle; ploughing progressing rapidly; area ploughed five-eighths of whole; sowing commenced generally; price of paddy Rs. 75 per 100 baskets. <i>General Remarks.</i> —Rainfall steady, but up to date less than recorded at same time last year; public health good; cattle-disease mild, and not on increase except in Amherst, where mortality is heavy; ploughing nearly completed; sowings well in hand and transplanting commenced; prices keeping steady.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Assam—(July 25th)		
Gauhati ...	74.	Weather hot and sultry; public health fair; cattle-disease in the interior; <i>ahu</i> paddy being reaped; rain much wanted for transplanting of <i>sali</i> paddy.
Sylhet ...	5.02	State and prospects of crops favourable; public health good: small-pox in part of the district.
Cachar ...	4.19	Weather very warm; transplanting <i>aus</i> crops nearly finished and that of <i>sali</i> crops progressing; common rice 16 seers per rupee; small-pox still reported; general health good.
Dibrugarh ...	4.93	Weather seasonable; transplanting of <i>sali</i> crop progressing; public health good.
Mysore and Coorg—(July 25th)		
Bangalore ...	2.5	Standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health good.
Mysore ...	1.0	Standing crops in good condition; prospects and health good.
Mercara ...	Heavy rain, 14.80	The Cauvery river in full flood; <i>ragi</i> crop in Nanjarajapatna taluk thriving; transplantation of rice commenced; second blossom of coffee failed; labour still scarce; work on coffee estates backward; price of food-grains stationary; public health good, save in Nanjarajapatna taluk where small-pox prevails.
General Remarks. —Rain more or less in all districts; standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health generally good; no material change in prices.		
Berar & Hyderabad—(July 25th)		
Amraoti ...	2.9	<i>Kharif</i> crops thriving; prospects good; wheat 16 and <i>juari</i> 26 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	2.44	Cotton being weeded, other crops progressing favourably.
Hyderabad ...	Average of week 80	Total rainfall from 1st January 12.24; <i>kharif</i> crops prospering; <i>abi</i> sowings in some places commenced, in others ground being prepared; tanks have not yet received sufficient water; cholera prevails in two talukas—Asfnagar and Shahabad; no cattle-disease; prices of wheat 15, coarse rice 10½, white <i>juari</i> 22½, yellow <i>juari</i> 28½, and <i>tur</i> 24½ seers per current sicca rupee.
Central India States—(July 25th)		
Indore ...	99	A break in the rains is desirable; a few cases of cholera, otherwise health good.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	2.98	Health good; weather cloudy and cool.
Sutna ...	4.46; rain general	Health good.
Rutlam ...	.....	No report received.
Sehore ...	2.18	Weather cloudy, with occasional showers; crops and public health good.
Neemuch ...	43	<i>Makka</i> and <i>juari</i> crops in progress; weather seasonable; public health good.
Goona ...	62	Weather cloudy; <i>kharif</i> sowings completed; health good; wheat 24 seers per rupee.
Bhopal ...	.....	No report received.
Agar ...	.....	A severe epidemic of cholera in the Agar city.
Nowgong ...	3.71	Weather seasonable; <i>kharif</i> prospects good; cholera prevalent in parts; prices steady.
Bhopawar ...	.....	Prospects good; a break in the rains required.
Rajputana—		
Abu (July 25th)	3.64	Total rainfall to date 36.40; heavy clouds and high winds.
Sirohi („ 22nd)	1.78; satisfactorily light showers, but of frequent occurrence.	Tanks and wells full; health and crop prospects good; weather pleasant.
Marwar („ 20th)	98	Tanks all empty, water obtained from wells with difficulty; health and crops good; weather still close and sultry; prices stationary.
Meywar („ 22nd)	76	Tanks, wells, and health good; crop prospects very good; weather seasonable.
Harowti („ 21st)	Dimoli, 2.47; Tonk, 2.11; Kotah, .98; previous week Kotah, 1.87; Shahpura, 1.58.	Few cases of sporadic cholera; sowings nearly completed; prospects favourable, health good; prices falling.
Jhalawar („ 20th)	1.35	<i>Makka</i> crops doing well; health fair.
Ajmere („ 24th)	15	Crops looking well; a few cases of cholera and slight cattle-disease.
Jaypore („ „)	70	Cholera abating; prices almost stationary.
Bhartpore ...	.....	No report received.
Udaipur (July 24th)	Average, 2.64	Tanks and wells filling; 34 deaths from cholera in Ramgurih tahsil, in other tahsils cholera decreasing; <i>kharif</i> sowings continue.
Nepal—(July 20th)		
Katmandu ...	1.67	Agricultural prospects good; weather seasonable.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
IRRIGATION BRANCH.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS IN BENGAL FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1883-84.

Areas leased for Irrigation up to the end of May 1883.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land under irrigation during month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation last year at same time.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.										RAINFALL, 1883-84.		RAINFALL, 1882-83.		REMARKS.
								Five years. All crops.	Five years. Khurreef.	ANNUAL LEASES.						GRAND TOTAL.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.		
										Khurreef.	Rubbee.	Sugarcane.	Bhadol.	Hot weather.	TOTAL.							
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.		
Orissa.	Cuttack.	Kendrapara	1,269	410	...	48	20	63	508	4'69	4'72	9'18	10'87	Canals were laid dry for clearance during the month. Five years' khurreef leases for 440 acres were completed during the month.	
		Gobri	372'82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pattamondoe . . .	1,042	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	4	6	6
		High Level, Section I.	675	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	...	...	1	68	68
		Taldunda, 1st Reach	1,300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ditto, 2nd do. . .	650	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	23	23
	Balasore.	Matchgong	650	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		High Level, Section II	727'16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ditto do. III . . .	727'16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	129	...	...	129	129
	Total	440	...	140	129	...	25	294	734		
Total of the corresponding period of last year.		123,523	...	111	8	119	123,942		
South-Western.	Midnapore.	Midnapore	1,411	37	53,855	53,855	1'21	1'62	7'27	8'95		
		Panchkoora	522	10	9,801	9,801	4'21	6'21	8'68	10'19		
	Total	63,656	63,656		
	Total of the corresponding period of last year.		103,862	103,862	
Bong.	Shahabad.	Western Main . . .	4,342	773	...	598	188	3,752	381*	381	4,133	0'40	0'40	The sugarcane areas returned last month were incorrect.	
		Buxar	1,226	43	...	...	...	12,313	...	...	...	1,932*	...	...	1,932	14,245
		Arrah	1,680	527	409	10,557	4,489	51,852	...	...	...	1,464	154	6,108	7,726	59,578			
		Eastern Main . . .	1,468	...	...	...	73	214	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	214
	Patna and Gya.	Patna . . . . .	...	...	...	67	2,571	10,918	...	...	...	8	...	67	75	10,993
		Total	11,222	7,301	79,049	3,785	154	6,175	10,114	89,193		
	Total of the corresponding period of last year.		45,748	3,425	12,408	15,834	61,552
Grand Total	11,222	7,301	79,049	64,096	...	140	3,914	154	6,200	10,406	153,553		
Grand total of the corresponding period of last year.		45,748	227,685	...	3,536	12,417	15,953	289,386		

The 10th July 1883.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

COMPARATIVE RETURN OF TRAFFIC CARRIED ON THE UPPER AND LOWER GANGES CANALS FOR THE HALF-YEARS ENDING 30th
SEPTEMBER 1882 AND 1881.

	DEMANDS.			Collections during current half-year.	Balance uncollected.	CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF PREVIOUS YEAR.		Nature of cargo.	CURRENT HALF-YEAR.			CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF PREVIOUS YEAR.			TONNAGE.		TON MILEAGE.		VALUE OF GOODS.		NUMBER OF PASSENGERS.																	
	Balance from previous half-year.	For current half-year.				Demands.	Collections.		Up.	Down.	TOTAL.	Up.	Down.	TOTAL.	1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.																
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
TOLLAGE.	R	R	R	R	R	R			Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.																								
Private boats	781	6,400	7,095	87	6,892	6,859	Grain	35,286	78,308	113,594	24,538	29,053	53,591																									
Government boats.	...	588	588	...	415	415	Cotton	249	9,665	9,914	10	4,245	4,255																									
Rafts	...	2,261	2,261	...	1,932	1,932	Oilseeds	17,308	53,454	70,762	314	28,642	28,956																									
							Salt	2,627	88,314	90,941	1,729	75,117	76,846																									
							Metals	11,947	5,353	17,300	21,631	3,103	24,734																									
CARRYING OPERATIONS.							Miscellaneous goods	47,687	29,449	77,136	49,451	59,483	108,934																									
Boating	...	234	234	...	557	557	Building materials.	151,407	113,620	265,027	130,725	169,810	300,535																									
Fines and sundries.	...	184	184	...	48	48	Firewood	28,147	86,654	114,801	9,900	62,182	72,082																									
Ground-rent	...	193	193	...	185	185	Bamboos	51	248,520	248,571	974	141,170	142,144																									
							Timber	2,447	94,909	97,356	3,665	100,232	103,897																									
TOTAL	781	9,810	10,505	87	10,029	9,996	Miscellaneous timber.	1,095	2,558	3,653	2,994	782	3,776																									
Upper Ganges Canal.	404	6,146	6,505	45	6,208	6,191																																
Lower ditto	377	3,664	4,000	42	3,821	3,805																																
TOTAL	781	9,810	10,505	87	10,029	9,996	TOTAL	298,251	810,804	1,109,055	245,931	673,819	919,750																									

ALLAHABAD,
The 23rd May 1883.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

COMPARATIVE RETURN OF TRAFFIC CARRIED ON THE AGRA CANAL FOR THE HALF-YEARS ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER 1882 AND 1881.

	DEMANDS.		Collected during current half-year.	Balance uncollected.	SAME PERIOD OF PREVIOUS YEAR.		Nature of cargo.	CURRENT HALF-YEAR.			CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF PREVIOUS YEAR.			TONNAGE		TON MILEAGE.		VALUE OF GOODS.		NUMBER OF PASSENGERS.	
	Balance from previous half-year.	For current half-year.			Demands.	Collections.		Up.	Down.	TOTAL.	Up.	Down.	TOTAL.	1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	R	R	R	R	R	R		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Tons.	Tons.	Miles.	Miles.	R	R	No.	No.
TOLLAGE.																					
Private boats		643	643	...	725	725	Grains	1,100	14,250	16,050	100	38,640	38,740								
Government boats		364	364	...	343	343	Cotton	...	1,185	1,185	...	950	950								
Rafts				...	1,086	1,086	Oil-seeds	...	...	...	...	2,024	2,024								
				...			Salt	...	...	...	100	...	100								
							Metals	...	...	...	...	...	...		
							Miscellaneous goods	1,395	7,775	9,170	4,189	3,375	7,564								
CARRYING OPERATIONS.							Building materials	39,227	4,695	43,922	50,315	300	50,615								
Boating (Government)		408	408	...	1,296	1,296	Firewood	...	755	755	...	775	775								
Fines				...			Bamboos	...	235	235	...	...	...					
				...			Timber	...	1,790	1,790	...	1,750	1,750								
Ground-rent				...			Miscellaneous materials	...	...	...	300	33,594	33,894								
TOTAL	...	1,415	1,415	...	3,450	3,450	TOTAL	41,722	31,385	73,107	55,004	81,403	136,412

ALLAHABAD,
The 23rd May 1883.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

•REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 31st JULY 1883.

GENERAL REMARKS.—The rainfall of the past week has been deficient over the southern districts of the Madras Presidency. In Bombay rain is urgently wanted in parts of the Southern Mahratta Country; elsewhere the fall has been light, but sufficient for present wants. The Indus river has again fallen below its normal level in Sind, and a scarcity of water is felt in consequence. Throughout Rajputana and Central India the weather is generally favourable, but more rain is much needed in Marwar where the tanks continue empty. In Hyderabad also the tanks are not yet quite full, but the *khari* crops are doing well. In British Burma the rainfall up to date in the Arakan and Tenasserim divisions is below that of the previous year, but so far appears to have been sufficient. In the Irrawaddy delta it exceeds the average. In parts of Assam and in two divisions of Bengal a deficiency in the rainfall is retarding the rice crop, but prospects are on the whole satisfactory. Except in Jubulpore and Sambalpur, light rains have been generally prevalent in the Central Provinces during the week under report, and the weather continues cloudy and seasonable. In the North-Western Provinces and Oudh hot westerly winds are reported from Meerut, and rain is urgently wanted in that district and in Saharanpore. In most other districts rain averaging from one to two inches fell during the week. The Punjab has been practically rainless, and rain is urgently required.

The standing crops in Madras and Mysore, except in two districts where the rainfall has been deficient, promise well, and are being harvested in some places. Rice is still being transplanted in Bombay. Some damage has resulted from excessive wet in Dharwar, and locusts are becoming more numerous in the Deccan. *Khari* sowings have for the most part been completed in Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and the Central Provinces, and the young crops which are generally in good condition are being weeded. In the Punjab ploughing and sowing are still going on.

Transplanting of rice is being pushed forward in Assam and Bengal wherever the weather is favourable; and harvesting of early rice and jute has commenced. Ploughing is nearly finished in Burma, and transplanting and sowing are in progress.

Cattle-disease and cholera are generally more prevalent.

Prices continue to fluctuate, and are rising in parts of the North-Western Provinces and Punjab.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(Aug. 1st)		
Bellary ...	·97 (average of five stations).	Standing crops generally good; harvest paddy, yield average.
Kurnool ...	1·69 (average of nine stations).	Standing crops thriving; cattle-disease in six taluks.
Ganjam ...	2·8 (average of nineteen stations).	Standing crops red gram, gingelly, and sugarcane thriving; cattle-disease slight.
Kistna ...	1·07 (average of twelve stations).	Standing crops good; small-pox, guinea-worm, and cattle-disease slight.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	·39 (average of five stations).	Standing crops good where water available; harvest <i>kar</i> , paddy, &c., yield half; small-pox, measles, and cattle-disease slight in parts.
Coimbatore ...	·8 (average of eight stations).	Standing crops good, except dry crops suffering from want of rain, in parts of three taluks, and from insects in parts of three taluks; harvest <i>cholum</i> , <i>ragi</i> , and <i>cambou</i> in parts; cholera in four taluks, 18 deaths; fever in two taluks.
Tanjore ...	·21 (average of five stations).	Standing crops generally good, except in parts of two taluks where they are not flourishing for want of sufficient rain; 23 deaths from cholera.
Madura ...	...	Standing crops fair in four taluks; harvest paddy and dry crops in parts; cholera slight in one village.
Malabar ...	9·93 (average of fourteen stations).	First crop progressing in all taluks; small-pox slight in all taluks; fever and cattle-disease in parts, latter slight; cholera slight in Palghat, 3 deaths.
Travancore ...	7·61	Paddy in good condition; 1 death from small-pox, fever prevails. <i>General Remarks.</i> —General prospects fair; rain wanted in southern districts.
Bombay—(Aug. 1st)		
Kurrachee ...	<i>Nil</i> ; average of five stations 1·0.	Strong monsoon winds; river at Kotri on 30th 17 feet 5 inches, against 18 feet 10 inches last year; small-pox in five villages in districts, 8 fresh cases, no deaths, 4 remain sick; <i>khari</i> transplanting in progress and seed being sown; fever in five talukas; wheat, red rice, and <i>bajri</i> in Kurrachee 26, 32 and 36, in Kotri 32, 32 and 32, in Ghorabari 20, 32 and 40, and in Jati 20, 32 and 44 lbs. per rupee, respectively.
Hyderabad ...	In Kandiyari 1·10 on 15th.	River fallen, was 1 foot 5 inches lower on 30th July 1883 than on same date last year; small-pox in six and cattle-disease and fever in two talukas; prices of food-grains remain unchanged.
Ahmedabad ...	·14	Total rainfall 14·91; sowings continue; transplantation commenced; wheat 26½ and <i>bajri</i> 29½ lbs. per rupee.
Baroda ...	·06	Total rainfall 32·22; sowing of <i>khari</i> continues; health good; <i>bajri</i> 27 and rice 24 lbs. per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—contd.		
Surat ...	54	Total rainfall 37.90; sowing operations continue; fever in Jalalpur and Pardi; cholera in Surat, 9 cases, 6 deaths and at Balsar 13 cases, 6 deaths; <i>juari</i> 36½ and <i>maghi</i> 42½ lbs. per rupee.
Nasik ...	Igatpuri, 6.81; Point, 2.39; slight elsewhere.	Cholera in ten talukas, but abating, deaths 111; <i>kharif</i> sowings continue; young locusts in six talukas, old in a few; wheat 27, <i>bajri</i> 28, and rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Very little rain—total of week .59.	Total rainfall to date 53.98, being 8.24 above average; abnormal temperature 1° to 2° warm; vapour in air normal; abnormal wind northerly.
Prona ...	Rainfall in six talukas—maximum 6.0 at Mawal; minimum .11 at Indapur.	Young crops good; cholera cases 734, fatal 196; <i>bajri</i> 37 and <i>juari</i> 46 lbs. per rupee; in Poona <i>bajri</i> 32 and <i>juari</i> 41 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	Very slight rain in Sangamner, Akola, and Newasa talukas; nil in others.	Sowing of <i>kharif</i> completed in Shrigonda, Kopergaon, and Akola; cholera 1,089 attacks, 509 deaths; <i>juari</i> —maximum 66 lbs. per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 45 lbs. in Kopergaon; <i>bajri</i> —maximum 54 lbs. per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 33 lbs. in Kopergaon.
Sholapur ...	31	Total rainfall 14.02; <i>kharif</i> sowings completed; <i>juari</i> 34 and <i>bajri</i> 53 lbs. per rupee; cholera 723 cases, 300 deaths.
Dharwar ...	Maximum in Hanganal, 3.32; minimum in Navalgund, .09	Rain badly wanted in Navalgund and Gadag talukas, including the two pettas Nargund and Mundargi and in Ron taluka, where sowing is hindered; standing young crops rice, <i>ragi</i> , <i>sawan</i> , and sugarcane good in other talukas, except in Hanganal and Kalghatgi, where they have been slightly injured owing to excessive moisture and where therefore break is desired; <i>juari</i> sowing partly finished; slight fever in Mugud and Mundargi; two cholera cases in Ron; <i>juari</i> 67 and rice 33 lbs. per rupee.
Kanara ...	Karwar, 5.61; Kumpta, 11.43; Sirsi, 14.70; Hallial, 4.80.	Total rainfall 101.29; transplanting almost completed; weeding continues; rice plants and garden crops healthy; small-pox subsiding; slight fever throughout the district; cattle-disease in Siddapur; common rice in Karwar 12½ seers per rupee, in district average 13½ seers per rupee.
Rajkot ...	Nil	Weather cool and cloudy; general health fair; sowing operations completed; cholera in some villages of Halar; <i>bajri</i> 29 and <i>juari</i> 36 lbs. per rupee.
General Remarks. —Slight rain in all districts, except Sind owing to the river being low; want of water is generally felt in Sind; rain urgently wanted in parts of the Southern Mahratta Country; sowing and transplanting of rice still in progress; locusts in Nasik, Khardesh, Tanna, Colaba, Satara, and Katnagiri; cholera in all districts of the Deccan and Konkan; small-pox, fever, and cattle-disease in a few districts.		
Bengal—(Aug. 1st)		
Chittagong ...	4.84	Weather rainy and hot; prospects of crops fair; transplanting of <i>amun</i> commenced; prices steady; cholera and cattle-disease not yet ceased.
Dacca ...	3.50	Paddy being sown; <i>aus</i> paddy and jute being harvested; prospects good.
24-Pergunnals (Calcutta) ...	5.17	Prospect of <i>aus</i> and <i>amun</i> crops satisfactory; transplanting of <i>amun</i> going on briskly; public health good; rivers rising.
Moorshedabad ...	1.70	Rain has done good to standing crops; transplanting of <i>amun</i> continues; public health generally good.
Rajshahye ...	.83	Moderate rain in north of district; crops doing well, but more rain will be required soon.
Burdwan ...	1.68	Rainfall generally sufficient; transplanting in progress; prospects fair; fever has begun to show itself.
Rungpore ...	1.03	Weather hot; more rain generally wanted for transplanting of <i>amun</i> rice; <i>aus</i> rice and jute still being cut; cholera reported from Kali-gunge.
Bhagalpur ...	2.86	Prospects of crops good.
Purneah ...	1.06	Prospects of crops fair, but more rain now wanted; farming operations normal; health fair; rivers rising.
Patna ...	1.83	Prospects of crops good; transplanting of rice seedlings commenced; public health good.
Durbhunga ...	1.78	Prospects good; transplanting going on well; prices rising slightly; health good.
Hazaribagh ...	2.43	Weather cloudy and showery; transplanting operations commenced; prospects generally good; health good.
Cuttack ...	1.58	<i>Sarad</i> rice being transplanted; state of crops reported favourably; price of rice stationary; public health good.
General Remarks. —The rainfall of the week has been generally moderate; in Calcutta and its neighbourhood there has been heavy rain for the last two days; want of more rain is still complained of in parts of Rajshahye and Bhagalpur Divisions and in Singbhoon, elsewhere cultivation of <i>amun</i> rice is proceeding well; prospects of all early crops and of sugarcane are generally reported to be favourable; harvesting of <i>aus</i> rice and jute is proceeding in some districts; in Gya cholera is still very prevalent, and in Lohardugga it is spreading, it also still lingers in some other districts; fever is said to be making its appearance in a few districts.		

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—		
Benares (July 31st)	2.1; Chandausi, 1.5; Gangapur, 3.0.	All <i>kharif</i> sowings, except of <i>aghani</i> rice, completed; no sickness of men or cattle; prices steady.
Allahabad (Aug. 1st)	Average 1.4	Weather still cloudy; more rain wanted in Bara; <i>kharif</i> crops generally doing well; cholera much diminished; prices slightly fallen.
Gorakhpur (July 30th)	Fair rain	Cloudy sky; <i>kharif</i> sowings completed; a little cholera and some cattle-disease.
Jhansi (" ")	No rain for the last five days.	Weather cloudy; weeding of cotton and <i>juari</i> commenced; sowing of <i>til</i> in progress; transplanting of rice postponed for want of sufficient rain; prices fluctuating; health good.
Agra (" 31st)	1 to 1.5 in four parganas.	<i>Kharif</i> sowings continue; fever and small-pox in one pargana; sporadic cholera in two parganas; prices steady.
Bareilly (" ")	Sufficient rain	Sowings continue; prices nearly stationary; cattle-disease has appeared in north and south-east of districts; health of people continues good.
Meerut (" ")	Hapur, .9; Mowana, 1.4; slight drizzle at Sardhana.	Westerly wind, hot and dry; rain much wanted; irrigation from canals and wells being resorted to; <i>kharif</i> all sown and <i>rabi</i> ploughing commenced; health good; prices show a tendency to rise.
Kumaun (" ")	Less rain than last week.	Crops fair; general health good, except fever in one or two places; cattle-disease continues; prices unchanged.
Lucknow (" ")	Tahsil Lucknow, 4.8; Malinbad, 2.1; Mohanlalganj, 2.5.	<i>Kharif</i> sown; prospects very favourable; condition of the people and cattle good; prices of food-grains steady.
Partabgarh (" ")	Sadr, 2.0; Kunda, 4.8; Patti, .7.	Prices stationary; <i>jarhan</i> being planted; outcrops doing well; general health good.
Sitapur (" ")	Average 2.9	<i>Kharif</i> prospects good; health good.
Fyzabad (" ")	Sadr, 1.7; Akbarpur, 1.8; Bikapur, 2.5; Tanda, 2.1.	Prospects of crops good; public health good.
Rae Bareilly (" 30th)	General rain throughout the district; Sadr, 2.8.	<i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress; health of men and condition of cattle good; prices steady.
Cawnpore (" 31st)	Average in nine parganas 2.4.	General health and prospects good; prices almost stationary.
Farukhabad ( " )	.....	Weather warm; sky slightly overcast; a good break in the rains has done much good; health good.
General Remarks. —In most districts there has been a fair fall of rain during the week, and the prospects of the crops appear to be good; in Jhansi, however, the transplanting of rice has been postponed for want of rain, and in Meerut and Saharunpore more rain is urgently wanted; general health is good, and cholera seems to be disappearing; prices are rising in Meerut and Saharunpore, but are as a rule stationary.		
Punjab—(July 31st)		
Delhi ...	No rain	Rain wanted; health good; <i>kharif</i> ploughings continue; slight rise in prices.
Hissar ...	No rain	Health good; <i>kharif</i> sowings continue; prices rising.
Umballa ...	.40	More rain wanted; health fair; <i>kharif</i> sowings in progress; prices rising.
Jullundur ...	No rain	Rain much wanted; health fair; crops backward; prices rising.
Amritsar ...	No rain	Health good; rise in prices.
Sialkot ...	No rain	Rain much wanted; health good; prices rising.
Ferozepore ...	No rain	Health good; <i>kharif</i> ploughings and sowings in progress; prices rising.
Lahore ...	Slight rain	More rain much wanted; health good; crop prospects uncertain; prices rising.
Rawalpindi ...	2.5	Health good; <i>kharif</i> prospects favourable; fall in prices.
Mooltan ...	No rain	Health and crop prospects good; prices steady.
Dera Ismail Khan ...	No rain	Health good; <i>kharif</i> sowings in progress; prices stationary.
Peshawar ...	No rain	Health good; prices stationary.
General Remarks. —Slight rain in a few districts, but much more is wanted throughout the province; health good, except in the Umballa and Jullundur districts; <i>kharif</i> sowings in progress; prices of food-grains have risen in many districts.		
Central Provinces—(Aug. 1st)		
Nagpur ...	1.21	Weather cloudy; prospects good; 780 cases of cholera, 319 deaths in the district; prices steady.
Jubbulpore ...	5.62	Weather cloudy and rainy; sowings approaching completion; weeding continues; cotton and other crops thriving; cholera in places; wheat 21 and rice 14 seers per rupee.
Bangor (July 31st)	1.4	Rain deficient; weeding of cotton and other crops in progress; prospects favourable; prices steady; health good.
Seoni ...	.59	Weather cloudy; 10 deaths from cholera; wheat 22½ and rice 15½ seers per rupee.
Bhopal ...	.....	Weather cloudy and hot; weeding continues; small-pox 25 cases, 1 death; wheat 15 and rice 9 seers per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Central Provinces— <i>contd.</i>		
Khandwa ...	26	Weather cloudy; prospects good; cholera prevalent in Barhanpur, 257 cases, 96 deaths; wheat 16½, <i>juari</i> 18½, and rice 16 seers per rupee.
Raipur ...	227	Prospects favourable; price of rice falling, of wheat rising.
Sambalpur (July 28th)	52	Weather stormy and rainy; prospects good; fever increasing; common rice 15 seers per rupee.
<i>General Remarks.</i> —Weather cloudy, with showers; prospects favourable; prices steady; cholera is still severe in some places.		
British Burma— (Aug. 1st)		
Akyab ...	11.84	Total rainfall up to date 106.84; 4 deaths from cholera in town, 8 in district; 63 deaths of cattle in three townships; in other townships health of plough cattle good; ploughing nearly completed; sowings partly commenced.
Rangoon ...	8.32	Total rainfall up to date 44.55; public health good; price of paddy from Rs. 95 to Rs. 101 per 100 baskets.
Bassein ...	9.27	Total rainfall up to date 55.28; 2 deaths from small-pox in Bassein township, otherwise public health good; 82 deaths of cattle in five townships; ploughing much advanced; transplanting progressing.
Prome ...	86	Total rainfall up to date 27.35; 5 deaths from small-pox in Shwaylay, otherwise public health and health of cattle good; 42,400 acres have been ploughed; seedlings in excellent condition.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	11.67	Total rainfall up to date 93.05; public health in Moulmein and district good; 200 deaths of cattle in two townships; about 95 per cent. of fields ploughed; health of plough cattle generally good; sowing progressing; about 60 per cent. of fields sown broadcast; prospects of crops favourable; transplanting not begun; nurseries healthy; in Moulmein town high water prevents much progress in ploughing, sowing, and transplanting; 2 deaths of cattle reported; nurseries good; state of supply of seedlings for transplanting fair.
Toungoo ...	6.12	Total rainfall up to date 41.62; public health good; 2 deaths of cattle in Myoma township; ploughing progressing; health of plough cattle good.
Tharrawaddy ...	15.90	Total rainfall up to date 58.92; public health good; 25 deaths of cattle in Mintha townships, in all other township health of plough cattle good; ploughing and sowing progressing; price of paddy from Rs. 88 to Rs. 102 per 100 baskets.
Henzada ...	7.72	Total rainfall up to date 46.85; public health good; 11 deaths of cattle in Zalloon township; ploughing and transplanting progressing; supply of seedlings and general appearance of young plants good.
Thayetmyo ...	60	Total rainfall up to date 20.10; public health good; 20 deaths of cattle in Rama township; ploughing continues; transplanting going on.
Shwaygyin ...	15.08	Total rainfall up to date 81.83; public health good; 122 deaths of cattle in four circles of the Beilin township; ploughing progressing, except in some low lands which have been flooded; sowing and transplanting progressing; price of paddy Rs. 70.
Kyaukpoo ...	15.07	Total rainfall up to date 95.39; public health good; 242 deaths of cattle in four circles of the Myaybone township; cattle-disease has abated in all but the Daingbone Circle, where the greatest number of deaths occurred; two-thirds of the district ploughed, and about half sown; prices of paddy from Rs. 20 to Rs. 25 per 100 baskets; rise in price expected.
Sandoway ...	29.42	Total rainfall up to date 124.53; public health good; ploughing progressing; ploughing wages from Rs. 4.8 to Rs. 6 per acre.
Hanthawaddy ...	.....	Public health and health of cattle good, except slight foot-and-mouth disease among the cattle in the Twantay township; ploughing and sowing progressing; ploughing wages from 60 to 70 baskets of paddy per man; price of paddy from Rs. 95 to Rs. 105 per 100 baskets.
Pegu ...	16.76	Total rainfall up to date 71.17; public health and health of cattle fair; sowings well forward; price of paddy from Rs. 85 to Rs. 90 per 100 baskets.
Tavoy ...	18.72	Total rainfall up to date 110.08; public health and health of cattle good; ploughing progressing; general appearance of plants good.
Mergui (14th July)	12.80	Total rainfall up to date 69.29; public health and health of cattle good; ploughing and sowing progressing; price of paddy Rs. 75 per 100 baskets.
Mergui (21st ")	6.45	Total rainfall up to date 75.74; public health and health of cattle good; ploughing and sowing progressing; price of paddy Rs. 75 per 100 baskets.
<i>General Remarks.</i> —Rainfall in the Irrawaddy delta in excess of last year up to date; in Arakan and Tenasserim rather below last year up to date; public health good; cattle-disease somewhat abated and nowhere severe; ploughing nearly completed; sowings and transplanting well forward; appearance of young crops favourable; price of paddy fairly steady.		

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Assam—(Aug. 1st)		
Gauhati ...	2.46 for week ending 31st ultimo.	Weather hot and sultry; public health fairly good; cattle-disease still in the interior; <i>ahu</i> paddy being reaped; transplanting of <i>sali</i> paddy retarded for want of rain.
Sylhet ...	3.62	State and prospects of crops continue good; some damage done by insects in the Sunamganj sub-division; small-pox still prevalent in Karimganj.
Cachar ...	1.62	Weather very hot; transplanting of <i>aus</i> crops not altogether finished, and that of <i>sali</i> crops continue; 2 deaths from cholera, 2 deaths from small-pox reported from Katigora, 1 from Lakhimpur, and 1 from Sadr.
Dibrugarh ...	8.19	Weather seasonable; transplanting of <i>sali</i> crop vigorously pushing on; public health good.
Mysore and Coorg—(Aug. 1st)		
Bangalore ...	.65	Standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health good.
Mysore ...	.53	Standing crops in good condition; prospects and health good.
Mercara ...	11.74	Crops getting on well; prices of food-grains stationary; public health good, though fever is slightly prevalent.
Berar & Hyderabad—(Aug. 1st)		
Amraoti ...	.49	General Remarks.—Light rain in Kolar district and a good fall in the other districts; standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health generally good; average ruling prices—rice 13, <i>ragi</i> 32, and horse-gram 33 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	.22	Crops in good condition; prospects good; wheat 16 and <i>juari</i> 26 seers per rupee.
Hyderabad ...	Average 1.16	Crops thriving; prospects good.
Central India States—(Aug. 1st)		
Indore ...	.03	Total rainfall from 1st July 13.40; <i>kharif</i> crops prospering and being weeded; water-supply in tanks not yet sufficient for <i>abi</i> crops; cholera prevails in two talukas in a mild form; no cattle-disease; prices of wheat 15, coarse rice 19½, white <i>juari</i> 22½, yellow <i>juari</i> 28½, and <i>tur</i> 22 seers per current sicca rupee.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	.38	Weather seasonable; a few cases of cholera in the Indore city and Residency limits; agricultural prospects favourable.
Sutna ...	6.10	Health good; crops flourishing.
Rutlaya ...	.....	Prospects favourable; health good.
Narmada ...	.41	No report received.
Gadgaon ...	1.7	<i>Makka</i> crops in progress; general health good.
Bhopal ...	.....	Health and crops good; wheat 24 seers per rupee.
Agar ...	1.89	No report received.
Sehore ...	2.70	Seventy-six cases of cholera at Agar, of which 42 proved fatal; agricultural prospects good.
Nowgong ...	2.92	Crops and public health good.
Bhopawar ...	.90	<i>Kharif</i> prospects good; cholera prevalent in parts; prices steady.
Rajputana—		
Abu (Aug. 1st)	.51; rain slight	Weather cloudy and windy.
Sirohi (July 29th)	No rain	Tanks and wells full; health and crop prospects good; weather seasonable.
Marwar (" 27th)	No rain	Rain much needed; tanks all empty; water obtained from wells with difficulty; health good; crop prospects much improved by last rain; winds sharp; prices stationary.
Meywar (" 29th)	No rain	More rain wanted; tanks, wells, and crop prospects good; health very good.
Haroti (" 28th)	Deoli, .25; Tonk, .16; Shahpura, .12; Kotah, .49.	Cholera continues, but confined to city, 18 deaths during week; crops progressing favourably; weather close; 14 cases, 1 fatal from choleraic diarrhoea in Shahpura, elsewhere health good.
Jhallawar (" 27th)	Rainfall partial; Patan, 2.89; Chaoni, .89.	Health good; prospects fair.
Ajmere (" 31st)	No rain	Bright clear weather; high winds; health fairly good.
Jeypore (" ")	.12	Sowings completed; cholera abating; prices falling.
Bhartpore ...	.....	No report received.
Ulwār (July 31st)	Average 1.06	Cholera decreasing.
Nepal—(July 27th)		
Katmandu ...	4.4	Agricultural prospects good; weather seasonable.

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a. In the sub-divisions retail prices of suit are as follow:—Culna 13-6 seers, Chhwa 10-12 seers and Khatengunge 13-4 seers.
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INDIA. PRICE AND COMMERCE.

INDIA FOR THE 1st HALF OF JULY, 1883.

N SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millets, Raji, &c. (Kavaru, Veragu, Sawee, Cheena, Coralou, Murh- wa, Naglee, Panicum Miliacum, &c.)									Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.						DISTRICTS.	PROVINCES.
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...	18 8	16 8	14 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	10 0	11 0	11 8	9 8	10 8	11 0	Kaladgi (Bagalkot)							
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...	24 6	22 0	19 6	220 0	220 0	260 0	13 9	13 14	13 2	13 7	13 12	13 0	Shikarpur							
...	23 8	23 8	19 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	Sukkar							
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Prices per md. of 40 seers.																						
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PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

PROVINCE.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																	
		Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), <i>Zoizus Sorghum</i> .			Bulrush Millet (Cumoo, Baira), <i>Pennisetia Spicata</i> .		
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.
BENGAL—continued.	<i>Central Districts.</i>	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	Calcutta	14 4	14 0	14 0	19 6	20 0	23 2	10 12	10 5	10 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	...
	24 Pargunnahs	13 5	13 5	12 12	17 8	16 0	22 8	8 0	8 0	10 0	16 0	16 12	18 0	...	...	22 8	...	...	13 12
	Nuddea	14 8	14 8	14 8	26 0	...	26 0	15 4	15 4	16 13	17 4	16 13	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rhoolna	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	17 0	16 0	24 0	25 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore	14 8	14 8	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	22 12	22 12	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Moorshedabad	15 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	17 12	19 0	19 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dinagapore	13 14	13 8	11 8	...	...	...	16 0	18 0	21 0	18 13	19 8	26 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rajshahye	17 4	16 8	13 8	30 0	30 0	45 0	15 0	13 8	13 8	17 4	17 4	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Itanagore	13 5	11 7	16 0	...	...	...	16 8	16 0	...	18 12	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hogra	15 12	15 0	18 12	...	...	...	12 12	12 0	15 12	21 0	24 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pubna	18 12	19 8	18 12	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	19 8	19 8	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darjeeling	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri	10 0	10 0	9 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	12 8	11 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	<i>Eastern Districts.</i>																		
	Dacca	12 4	12 4	12 4	19 0	18 12	40 0	15 12	15 8	24 0	19 0	19 4	32 0	...	...	...	19 0	...	...
	Furzedpore	20 0	20 0	22 0	30 0	30 0	35 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Backergunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	20 0	21 0	21 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	11 0	11 8	11 0	...	...	...	15 8	16 0	20 0	19 8	17 8	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tipperah	11 6	11 6	12 0	...	...	...	17 0	18 8	23 0	22 12	19 4	28 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong	12 0	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nonkhally	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	27 0	22 0	22 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	13 5	13 4	13 5	17 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	23 0	22 0	20 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	<i>Behar.</i>																		
	Patna	17 8	17 8	16 8	32 0	32 0	34 0	14 0	14 0	11 8	18 0	19 0	21 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gya	19 0	20 8	17 0	25 0	26 0	29 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shahabad	17 0	17 0	14 8	24 0	25 0	28 0	11 0	11 0	17 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darbhanga	17 8	18 0	16 8	30 0	37 0	32 0	11 8	12 0	20 0	17 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	28 0	32 0	...
	Muzafferpore	18 0	18 0	14 0	30 0	30 0	30 0	12 0	13 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Saran	17 0	17 0	15 0	26 0	27 0	28 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	28 0	30 0	29 0	...	...	...
	Champan	19 0	19 0	18 0	34 0	36 0	36 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Monghyr	18 14	18 10	16 12	25 3	27 14	33 9	13 10	13 14	15 12	15 12	15 12	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhagalpur	16 6	16 6	15 2	27 12	27 12	30 4	15 2	15 2	17 11	17 10	21 7	21 7	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Purneah	20 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Maldah	17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	14 0	16 0	19 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Southal Pargunnahs	14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	<i>Orissa.</i>																		
	Cuttack	14 7	13 2	14 7	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	15 12	21 0	22 5	24 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pooree	13 2	13 2	10 8	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	21 0	23 10	23 10	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Balasore	14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	26 0	28 0	28 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	<i>CHOTA NAGPORE.</i>																		
	<i>South-Western Frontier Agency.</i>																		
	Hazaribagh	15 0	16 0	15 0	20 0	18 0	...	10 0	10 0	11 0	16 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lohardugga	16 0	16 0	17 0	21 0	22 0	24 0	18 0	18 0	21 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Singbhoom	18 0	18 0	20 0	32 0	32 0	28 0	36 0	36 0	36 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Manbhoom	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	19 0	27 0	27 0	31 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior retail prices of common rice vary from 28-14 to 39-6 seers.

f In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Baraset and Hussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 10-8 seers, Barrackpore 12-12 seers, and Dam-Dum 13 seers.

g In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Koochla 12-12 seers, Meherpore 12 seers, Chooaanga 12-3 seers and Ranghat 13 seers.

h In Bagirhat retail price of salt 11 seers.

i In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Jhenidah, Magura and Narail 12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.

j In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Laibaga 11 seers, Jaungipore 10 seers, and Kandi 11-8 seers.

k Retail prices of salt at Raigunge 11-8 seers and Neetpore 12 seers.

l In Naitore retail price of salt 12 seers.

m In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Nilphamari 12 seers, and Kurigram and Gaibanda 10 seers.

n In Serajunge retail price of salt 13 seers.

o Retail price of salt at Kurseong 8 seers and Silligoree 10 seers.

p Retail Price of salt at Falacotta in Alipore sub-division 10 seers.

q In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Manickgunge 11 seers, Moonshegunge 10 seers 10-11 chittacks, and Naraingunge 13 seers.

r In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Madaripore 12 seers, Bhanga 11 seers, and Gopalgunge 12-12 seers.

s In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Patuakhali 9-2 seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhota 9 seers.

t In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Kishoregunge 10-10 seers, Attea 12 seers.

INDIA FOR THE 1st HALF OF JULY 1883—continued.

IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millets, Barli, &c. (Kavara, Veraga, Sawee, Cheena, Coraloo, Murh- wa, Nandee), Panicum Mitaceum, &c.									Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.									DISTRICTS.	PROVINCES.
Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1882.	Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers.						Retail.*										
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...	17 8	18 12	18 0	80 0	90 0	90 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 12 0	13 5	13 5	13 5	13 5	13 5	13 5	13 5	24-Pergunnahs						
...	20 0	20 0	21 5	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 1	11 10	11 10	12 13	12 13	12 13	12 13	12 13	Nuddea						
...	16 0	16 0	12 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Khoolna						
...	19 12	20 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	11 0	10 12	12 8	12 8	12 8	12 8	12 8	Jessore						
...	23 0	23 0	25 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 6 0	...	3 4 0	10 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	12 8	12 8	Moorshedabad						
...	17 7	17 8	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 7 0	3 7 0	3 4 0	11 6	11 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	Dinagapore						
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...	17 3	16 0	15 0	110 0	110 0	135 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 5 3	11 14	11 14	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	Rungpore						
...	18 12	15 12	16 8	69 0	60 0	67 8	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 5 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	Bogra						
...	18 6	17 8	18 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	12 0	12 0	12 12	12 12	12 12	12 12	12 12	Pubna						
9 0	9 0	9 0	8 9	8 0	8 0	128 0	128 0	160 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Darjeeling						
...	16 0	16 0	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 4 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Jalpaiguri						
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...	18 0	18 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	3 11 0	13 0	13 0	10 9	10 9	10 9	10 9	10 9	Baekergunge						
...	15 8	15 9	16 0	3 4 0	...	12 8	12 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	12 8	12 8	Mymensingh						
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...	26 0	26 0	27 0	160 0	140 0	160 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Saran						
...	28 0	27 0	28 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	11 8	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	Chumpanan						
...	25 3	25 13	30 6	147 0	126 0	126 0	3 2 9	3 2 3	3 1 0	11 8	12 0	12 10	12 10	12 10	12 10	12 10	Monghyr						
...	24 0	24 0	28 6	138 6	126 8	126 4	3 1 0	3 0 6	3 0 6	12 10	12 10	12 10	12 10	12 10	12 10	12 10	Bhagalpur						
...	16 0	22 0	23 0	120 0	160 0	160 0	3 8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	Parneah						
...	22 0	22 0	25 0	160 0	120 0	160 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	12 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	Maldah						
...	20 0	21 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	3 12 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	Sonthal Pergunnahs						
13 2	14 7	13 2	17 1	17 1	21 0	80 0	80 0	160 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	Cuttack	Orissa.					
...	18 6	18 6	15 0	100 0	104 0	100 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	14 0	14 0	14 8	14 8	14 8	14 8	14 8	Poorce						
...	14 0	14 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	160 0	9 2	9 2	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	Balasore						
30 0	30 0	36 0	18 8	19 0	19 0	240 0	240 0	180 0	4 2 0	3 15 3	3 11 3	9 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	Hazaribagu	CHOTA NAGPUR. South-Western Frontier Agency.					
28 0	29 0	38 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Lohardugga						
...	24 0	24 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Singbhoom						
...	17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 8 0	3 9 0	3 12 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Manbhoom						

a In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Brahmunberiah 12 seers and Chandpore 12-8 seers.
 b Retail price of salt at Kumeriah 10 seers, and Hathazaree and Cox's Bazar 8 seers.
 c In the interior retail prices of salt range from 8 to 12-4 seers.
 d In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Buxar 11-8 seers, Sasseram 11 seers, and Bhola 10 seers.
 e In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Madhubani 10 seers and Tajpur 11-8 seers.
 f In Hajipore sub-division retail prices of salt in three reporting places 11 seers, and in one place 12 seers.
 g In Gopalgunge retail price of salt 12 seers.
 h In the interior retail prices of salt range from 10 to 12 seers.
 i In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Begusarai 10 seers and Jamui 11 seers.
 j In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Banksa 11 seers and Muddehpore and Soopole 10 seers.
 k In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Kisangunge 8 seers and Arrureah (at Kiseengunge) 10 seers.
 l In Khoorda retail price of salt 13 seers.
 m In Bhadrak retail price of salt 10 seers.
 n Retail price of salt at Cutra 8 seers and Khurrukdiha 11-8 seers.
 o Retail price of salt at Daltongunge 9 seers.
 p Retail prices of salt at Burabazar 10 seers, and Gobindpore 11 seers.

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																	
PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Choum, Jowari, Hosur Sorghum).			Bairanah Millet (Cumbho, Bairan, Pencillaria Spicata).		
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
ASSAM.	Sylhet	13 4	13 4	11 12	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	17 0	17 8	17 8	35 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Cachar	9 2	9 2	10 10	16 0	12 13	16 0	12 13	13 5	17 12	16 0	16 0	21 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Goalpara	20 0	20 0	22 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Garo Hills	4 0	4 0	4 0	...	...	...	5 0	5 0	5 0	13 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kamrup	19 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 4	11 12	13 0	15 8	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darrang	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nowgong	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	13 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sibsagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lakhimpur	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	10 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khasi & Jaintia Hills	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Naga Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
N. W. PROVINCES.	Dehra Dun	17 8	18 8	18 0	30 0	30 0	29 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	24 0	24 0	22 0	24 0	26 0	18 0
	Saharanpur	19 5	20 15	19 5	32 4	31 3	27 15	7 8	8 9	9 11	11 13	11 13	12 14	23 10	26 1	23 10	21 8	17 3	32 1 8
	Muzaffarnagar	19 0	19 4	18 4	33 0	35 0	29 11	6 9	6 9	6 9	12 2	12 2	14 5	30 12	33 0	26 6	26 6	622 0	
	Meerut	18 0	18 0	17 0	30 0	30 0	24 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	14 0	14 0	15 0	29 0	29 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	21 0
	Bulandshahr	19 4	19 0	19 8	28 0	28 0	24 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 11	10 0	10 0	26 0	26 0	24 0	16 0	16 0	030 0
	Aligarh	17 8	18 4	17 4	24 8	24 8	23 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	11 8	12 0	13 0	25 8	26 0	25 0	16 0	16 0	016 8
	Kanun	14 0	15 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	17 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Garhwal	22 0	22 0	23 8	23 0	23 0	25 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bijnor	18 8	19 13	16 9	30 15	31 12	26 2	10 6	15 11	10 11	11 0	12 2	11 13	22 4	23 10	21 6	21 6	18 9	...
	Moradabad	19 1	19 11	18 2	28 12	30 10	23 12	9 1	10 10	9 6	13 12	13 12	13 12	23 2	23 2	23 12	15 10	14 6	19 6
	Budaun	18 4	19 8	17 11	28 3	29 6	22 0	8 6	8 6	9 9	13 3	13 3	14 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bareilly	17 3	18 2	16 14	23 12	25 10	21 4	7 8	7 8	8 2	12 13	13 2	14 6	23 12	23 12	21 4	17 8	18 12	21 4
	Shahjahanpur	20 4	20 4	18 4	33 0	31 0	24 4	10 0	10 0	9 4	15 8	15 12	16 18	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tarai Perganahs	20 0	21 4	20 0	30 0	32 8	30 0	8 8	8 12	8 8	14 0	14 0	13 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...
	Muttra	17 8	17 0	17 0	24 8	24 8	21 8	7 0	7 0	...	12 8	12 0	14 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	18 0	20 0	18 0
	Agra	16 8	16 12	17 0	23 0	24 0	21 0	5 12	5 12	6 8	12 0	12 0	14 0	22 0	24 0	22 0	20 0	21 0	20 0
	Farrukhabad	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mainpuri	17 4	18 0	18 0	23 12	24 8	23 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Etawah	16 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	20 8	22 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 8	12 8	14 8	20 0	24 0	22 0	18 0	22 0	16 0
	Etah	18 10	19 6	19 8	25 0	27 0	24 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 5	14 0	12 0	20 0	22 0	21 4	21 8	22 0	18 0
	Jalaun	18 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	25 0	25 0	23 0	22 0	22 0	022 0
	Jhansi	20 8	21 9	20 13	33 9	38 14	32 0	9 0	10 0	8 8	16 0	17 0	15 0	30 4	33 6	27 0	...	...	...
	Lalitpur	21 0	21 0	21 8	40 0	40 0	37 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	36 0	36 0	31 0	30 0	26 0	026 0
	Cawnpore	18 0	18 4	17 4	26 8	26 8	25 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	13 8	14 0	15 0	26 0	27 0	23 8	23 0	23 8	...
	Fatehpur	16 4	16 10	16 12	24 12	25 0	23 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	15 0	15 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Banda	22 0	23 0	18 0	32 0	34 0	25 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	15 0	14 8	13 4	32 0	33 0	32 0	33 0	33 0	...
	Almohad	17 4	17 10	16 12	26 10	28 8	24 8	10 0	10 8	11 8	15 0	16 0	17 0	30 8	32 0	27 8	29 0	31 0	26 8
	Hamirpur	16 8	18 4	16 0	...	17 0	22 8	10 0	10 0	10 12	...	...	...	22 0	28 2	25 4	20 0	...	23 12
	Jaunpur	19 0	20 8	18 0	30 0	31 12	29 10	7 12	7 12	7 1	14 2	14 2	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	19 12
	Gorakhpur	18 14	18 14	18 0	25 3	25 3	28 13	12 9	13 1	14 6	16 3	16 3	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Basti	18 0	18 0	17 0	30 0	32 0	39 0	13 0	13 12	15 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Azamgarh	17 11	18 7	19 3	25 15	25 15	30 4	10 5	10 5	8 14	14 12	14 12	18 7	29 8	29 8	...	20 10	20 10	20 10
	Mirzapur	16 0	17 0	16 8	25 0	26 0	23 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	14 8	16 0	26 0	29 0	27 0	24 0	27 0	26 0
	Benares	16 0	16 4	15 11	23 14	25 8	24 6	10 9	10 9	12 7	17 1	16 4	16 13	27 2	28 12	23 8	23 12	23 12	23 11
	Ghazipur	19 5	19 5	18 0	27 0	27 0	25 12	9 0	9 0	10 15	16 1	16 1	19 15	28 5	28 12	23 14	24 6	26 6	20 9
	Balia	18 4	18 4	15 12	27 8	27 8	26 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 12	18 12	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pilibhit	19 10	20 8	18 1	33 3	35 2	28 6	12 3	15 0	15 0	14 8	16 4	16 4	18 12	...	...	...	...	...
OUDH.	Sultanpur	20 0	20 8	19 8	32 0	32 0	29 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	18 0
	Partabgarh	19 14	20 3	19 2	20 4	30 13	28 19	16 0	16 0	16 9	17 2	17 5	19 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Fyzabad	18 0	17 12	16 0	30 0	29 8	25 0	10 8	10 0	10 0	17 0	17 0	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kheri	22 2	22 8	19 0	35 8	35 0	28 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	14 0	14 0	15 0	45 0	45 0	30 0	...	...	...
	Lucknow	17 9	18 1	16 6	28 0	28 12	23 9	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 10	13 12	13 14	29 8	30 10	22 7	24 2	24 10	22 0
	Bara Banki	18 0	18 0	16 12	30 0	28 0	24 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	32 0	32 0	23 0	19 0	21 0	20 0
	Bharaich	18 0	19 0	16 0	39 0	42 0	35 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	38 0	37 0	30 0	20 0	20 0	13 0
	Ball Bareilly	18 0	18 12	18 12	26 0	26 8	23 8	...	...	...	15 8	15 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sitapur	20 10	21 14	19 4	34 12	36 0	27 6	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	28 12	32 0	20 0	24 12	26 0	19 0
	Gonda	21 5	22 4	19 6	43 8	41 12	30 14	14 8	13 14	15 0	15 10	16 0	17 6	39 4	41 0	36 10	23 0	23 4	24 4
	Unao	18 0	18 8	18 0	24 0	24 0	25 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	15 0	21 0	23 0	...	21 0	23 0	...
	Hardoi	17 6	17 6	20 6	27 3	25 5	27 11	5 10	6 9	5 10	11 0	12 14	13 8	...	23 7	...	16 14	23 7	...
PUNJAB.	Gujranwala (a)	25 8																	

PUNJAB.	ODDH.	N. W. PROVINCES,	ASSAM.	PROVINCES.
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PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																	
		Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Choum, Jowar), Hosius Sorghum.			Bairush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), Pennisetia Spicata.		
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
PUNJAB—continued.	Kangra	23 0	23 0	24 0	34 0	36 0	38 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jullundur (a)	24 0	25 0	24 8	36 0	40 0	36 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	38 0	42 0	33 0	26 0	28 0	20 0
	Hoshiarpur	25 0	25 8	25 0	38 0	40 0	35 0	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	11 0	33 0	28 8	27 0	25 0	25 0	17 0
	Gurdaspur	30 0	30 0	30 0	38 0	38 0	40 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	35 0	35 0	28 0	14 0	14 0	14 0
	Amritsar (b)	25 8	25 8	25 0	39 0	39 0	39 0	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	12 0	39 0	40 0	26 8	25 8	25 8	8 8
	Sialkot	26 4	26 8	26 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	15 0	32 0	37 0	19 0	30 0	35 0	21 0
	Gujrat (c)	30 0	29 0	27 4	44 0	42 0	40 8	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	38 8	50 0	21 0	50 0	50 0	28 0
	Jhelum	28 0	27 0	23 8	38 0	37 0	31 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	10 0	34 0	32 0	23 0	36 0	37 0	21 0
	Rawalpindi (d)	29 0	28 8	20 4	41 0	40 0	29 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 8	8 4	32 0	32 0	19 0	45 0	42 0	24 0
	Shalpur	34 0	32 0	20 0	55 0	55 0	32 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	13 0	40 0	44 0	19 0	45 0	43 0	19 0
	Jhang (e)	22 8	22 8	19 8	34 0	32 0	30 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	20 0	30 0	16 0	32 0	33 0	16 0
	Montgomery	19 0	19 0	20 0	32 0	32 0	24 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	5 8	30 0	30 0	20 0	...	...	...
	Mooltan (f)	17 0	16 12	16 12	28 0	27 0	26 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	29 0	30 0	25 0	28 0	27 0	34 0
	Muzaffargarh (g)	20 0	20 0	19 0	27 0	29 0	26 0	...	...	...	5 0	6 0	5 0	23 0	25 0	18 0	23 0	25 0	18 0
	Dera Ghazi Khan	19 6	18 12	19 2	33 12	33 12	23 7	...	...	...	10 0	8 12	7 8	40 0	40 0	21 0	43 6	44 0	20 0
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Dera Ismail Khan	23 14	23 12	17 14	38 15	38 0	26 9	...	...	...	8 7	8 12	8 12	41 4	31 6	27 8	37 13	38 12	23 12
	Bannu	36 4	35 0	29 1	51 4	47 8	45 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	8 12	52 8	52 8	27 8	42 8	42 8	27 8
	Kohat (h)	21 0	23 9	14 15	44 0	45 4	29 4	...	...	...	12 12	15 5	12 2	43 6	40 13	21 10	42 0	40 13	20 6
	Peshawar	23 12	25 10	18 0	40 10	42 0	34 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	9 8	38 0	39 0	27 12	31 8	31 8	12 10
	Hazara . . . . .	...	27 0	...	...	41 0	33 8	...	...	...	...	16 0	12 8	...	...	...	...	32 0	...
	Nagpur	19 4	17 4	17 0	...	...	...	10 0	9 12	8 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	31 12	31 12	24 12	...	...	...
	Bhandara	20 0	22 8	18 12	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	11 4	20 0	20 0	19 12	35 0	35 0	24 12	...	...	...
	Chanda	No return received							...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Warudha	19 0	20 0	20 4	...	...	...	10 0	9 0	8 12	14 0	13 0	16 4	27 0	27 0	23 0	...	...	...
	Balaghat	20 0	20 0	17 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	15 0	26 0	26 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jubbulpore	19 0	19 0	16 8	20 0	22 0	20 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	15 0	16 0	15 0	22 0	25 0	0	18 0	19 8	16 0
	Saugor	23 0	23 0	19 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Damoh	26 0	26 0	23 0	...	...	...	12 8	14 0	12 12	13 0	14 8	13 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Seoni	21 8	23 0	18 0	...	...	...	11 8	12 0	11 8	18 0	18 0	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mandla	25 0	25 0	20 0	...	...	...	14 8	14 0	15 8	20 0	18 8	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Betul	19 0	19 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	10 0	11 0	11 0	10 8	21 0	21 0	20 0	...	...	...
	Chhindwara	25 0	25 0	18 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 0	14 0	11 0	14 0	32 0	30 0	23 0	...	...	...
	Hoshangabad	14 5	14 5	15 7	...	...	...	4 0	4 0	4 0	9 9	9 9	11 4	21 0	21 0	21 0	19 4	19 4	15 0
	Narsinghpur	18 0	18 0	14 8	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 8	12 8	12 8	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nimar	15 15	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 0	...	...	14 14	15 0	11 1	18 12	19 0	21 0	20 0	19 0	21 0
	Raipur	24 2	22 0	29 0	...	...	...	19 14	20 0	21 0	34 8	36 0	37 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sambalpur	17 0	17 8	24 0	...	...	...	31 8	36 0	35 0	45 0	40 0	42 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bilaspur	32 0	32 0	45 0	...	...	...	36 0	36 0	45 0	54 0	54 0	72 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
BRITISH BURMA.	Arakan Division.																		
	Akyab	6 6	...	6 6	...	...	...	8 0	...	14 8	11 0	...	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Northern Arakan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	9 0	...	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kyaukpada . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	...	18 0	9 8	...	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Saundway . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Irrawaddy Division.																		
	Rangoon Town	15 5	11 2	16 4	...	...	...	12 12	11 0	13 13	13 4	11 8	15 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hanthawaddy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tharrawaddy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 23	7 23	8 14	7 14	7 14	14 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Prome	9 2	12 2	18 3	...	...	...	12 3	12 3	12 12	13 1	14 7	17 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tenasserim Division.																		
	Henzada . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 15	11 15	14 5	15 10	15 10	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bassein . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 13	16 14	16 7	13 11	13 9	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Thonegwa . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Thayetmyo	10 1	10 1	11 13	...	...	...	8 10	8 10	11 11	11 13	11 13	13 13	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Moulmein Town & Amherst	12 2	12 2	10 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	12 10	13 14	13 14	20 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mergui . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	18 5	14 3	14 3	21 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tongoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 13	12 12	10 6	10 6	15 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shwabygyin . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Salween . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
HYDERABAD AND SINDH DISTRICTS.	Secunderabad	14 13	14 13	16 5	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	6 13	9 13	10 3	9 13	23 0	23 0	23 14	27 0	27 0	...
	Bolarum	16 2	16 9	17 12	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	7 6	9 1	9 5	8 11	25 11	25 11	27 0	...	...	...
	Chudderghat	15 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 0	9 8	9 8	8 0	27 0	25 0	26 0	33 0	33 0	0
	Amraoti	15 8	16 0	18 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	25 0	23 0	26 0	14 0	15 0	20 0
	Akola	16 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	10 0	23 0	25 0	30 0	21 0	21 0	24 0
	Ellichpur	15 0	15 0	14 0	12 0	12 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	22 0	23 0	21 0	22 0	21 0	20 0
	Luldana	18 0	18 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	26 0	24 0	32 0	23 0	21 0	28 0
	Wun	18 0	19 0	14 0	...	...	...	8 0	10 0	7 0	13 0	13 8	10 8	29 4	29 4	30 0	...	...	...
	Basim	21 0	21 0	20 8	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	5 0	14 0	13 0	12 0	26 0	28 0	34 0	...	...	...

* No wholesale sale sold.

+ Rs 36 per 100 maunds wholesale.

(a) Prices rising.

(b) Jowar and gram rising.

(c) Wheat, barley and gram falling; jowar rising.

(d) Wheat, barley and bajra falling; rice, salt and wood rising.

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MYSTRIOTS.

CENTRAL INDIA.		RAJPOOTANA.		MYSORE.		PROVINCE.		DISTRICTS.		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE.																			
										Wheat.		Barley.		Rice (best sort).		Rice (common).		Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar, Horse Sorghum.		Bulrush Millet (Gumbo, Bajra, Pennisetia Spicata.									
										Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fort- night of 1882.		Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fort- night of 1882.		Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fort- night of 1882.			
Indore		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Gwalior		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Ujjain		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Jabalpur		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Shivpore		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Dhoolpur		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Meerwar		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Benarwar (Meerwar Agency)		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Parbhargh		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Meerwar (Jodhpore)		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Etahpur		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Sirollee		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Abu		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Amber		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Hilly Tracts of Meerwar		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Meerwar (Jodhpore)		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Deypore		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Kishengrub		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Korowlee		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Umar		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Bharatpur (city)		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Ajmere		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Deoli Cantonment		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Coorg		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	
Coorg		No return received		No return received		No return received		No return received		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.		S. Ch.	

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DISTRICTS.	Wholesale.			Retail.		
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Bangalore	13 0	13 0	13 0	12 12	12 12	12 12
Kolar	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 3	13 3	13 3
Tumkur	11 0	10 8	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8
Mysore	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 0
Hassan	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 7	10 0	10 0
Shimoga	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	11 0
Kadur	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	11 0
Chitaldroog	...	...	...	No return received	No return received	No return received
Coorg	9 12	9 7	9 1	9 3	8 15	8 12
Jaypore	14 8	14 8	14 0	14 4	14 3	13 8
Kishengurth	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0
Kerowale	13 1	13 14	13 10	12 12	13 0	13 8
Uttur	15 12	15 12	15 13	15 0	15 0	15 6
Mangalore (City)	13 5	13 5	14 4	12 13	13 0	14 0
Ajmer	17 0	17 0	...	15 0	15 0	15 0
Deoth Cantonment	13 4	13 12	...	12 12	13 8	13 0
Erinpura	2 13	2 13	3 1	2 13	13 0	12 0
Strohee	3 0	3 0	3 0	0 12	11 8	12 5
Abri	3 8	3 8	3 12	0 11	8 10	11 8
Amara	3 4	3 4	3 8	0 12	4 12	4 11
Hilly Tracts of Myswar	3 10	3 10	...	11 0	11 0	10 0
Myswar (Dodepore)	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	9 6	9 6	10 2
Banaswari (Myswar Agency)	...	...	...	No return received	No return received	No return received
Paralagurh	2 6	2 6	2 10	16 11	16 9	10 0
Marsur (dodipore)	2 10	2 9	2 9	15 6	15 10	15 0
Bikaner	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 8
Bondree	11 4	12 4	11 12	11 0	12 4	11 8
Kotah	12 0	12 12	12 4	11 8	12 4	11 12
Tonk	12 2	12 8	12 4	12 0	12 0	12 0
Jhalawar	10 2	10 8	9 15	9 14	10 4	9 11
Shimoga	12 7	13 2	13 2	12 6	13 0	13 0
Dholpur	13 8	12 15	12 15	12 10	12 2	12 3
Indore	...	...	...	No return received	No return received	No return received
Gwalior	...	...	...	No return received	No return received	No return received
Baghelkhand (Sutia)	...	...	...	No return received	No return received	No return received

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

SUPPLEMENT TO THE STATEMENT OF PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JUNE 1883 PUBLISHED IN PAGES 1360, 1361, 1362, 1363, 1364 AND 1365 OF THE SUPPLEMENT TO THE "GAZETTE OF INDIA," DATED 28th JULY 1883.

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.																																							
DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			RICE.						Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), <i>Holcus Sorghum.</i>			Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), <i>Penicillaria Spicata.</i>			Lesser Millets, Ragi, &c. (Kavaru, Varga, Sawee, Cheena, Coraloo, Murhwa, Nuglee, &c.), <i>Panicum Miliaceum, Eleusine Coracana, &c.</i>			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.						AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.					
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Best sort.			Common.			Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Wholesale.			Retail.			Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.	Syce or Horse-keeper.	Common Mason, Carpenter, or Blacksmith.			
							Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.																Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.				Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.
	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.		
Godavery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western Districts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Districts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24 Pergunnahs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern Districts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Noakholly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Behar.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mozufferpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maldah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sonthal Pergunnahs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balasore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sylhet	13	4	13	4	11	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	0	14	0	17	0	17	8	17	8	35	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cachar	9	2	9	2	10	5	12	13	13	5	14	8	13	5	13	5	15	4	16	0	16	0	24	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Goalpara	20	0	20	0	22	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	0	13	0	11	0	18	0	18	0	16	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garo Hills	4	0	4	0	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	5	0	5	0	10	0	16	0	14	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kamrup	18	0	18	0	16	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	12	11	12	13	0	16	0	15	4	18	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Darrang	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	10	0	10	0	13	0	13	0	16	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	8	13	8	13	8	16	0	16	0	16	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sibsagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	8	6	8	6	8	16	0	16	0	16	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lakhippar.	8	0	7	8	8	0	7	0	7	0	10	0	6	0	6	0	7	0	11	0	12	0	16	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Khasi and Jaintia Hills	8	0	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	10	0	10	0	11	0	11	0	11	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Naga Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	5	0	5	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

• STATEMENTS OF IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF THE RABI CROP OF 1882-83 IN THE PUNJAB.

STATEMENT No. I.

Comparative Abstract of Irrigation and Rainfall in Canal Districts of the Punjab.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
DISTRICTS.	Area in acres.	Cultivated area in acres.	AREA IRRIGATED.		COMPARISON WITH LAST CROP.		RAINFALL IN RABI MONTHS.													
			Rabi, 1882-83.	Rabi, 1881-82.	Increase.	Decrease.	October.		November.		December.		January.		February.		March.		TOTAL.	
							1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.	1882.	1881.	1882-83.	1881-82.
Umballa	1,444,840	951,890	794	789	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3'8	2'8	...	2'0	1'5	0'1	5'3	4'0
Karnal	1,533,990	680,319	47,940	33,116	14,824	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2'3	2'6	0'1	1'9	1'2	...	3'0	4'5
Rohatak	1,159,350	900,022	40,229	26,263	13,966	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0'7	2'1	...	1'0	0'8	...	1'5	3'1
Delhi	804,939	525,676	30,773	21,938	8,835	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1'8	0'9	...	0'7	1'6	...	3'4	1'6
Hissar	2,205,428	1,161,761	46,054	26,685	19,369	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1'9	2'3	...	0'5	2'4	...	4'3	2'8
Jind . . . . .	...	...	35,473	23,448	12,025	...	0'3	...	...	...	...	...	5'5	2'6	...	0'3	0'1	...	6'6	3'3
Bikaner . . . . .	...	...	227	605	...	378	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL W. J. CANAL	7,408,550⁽¹⁾	4,225,068⁽¹⁾	201,400	132,824	69,044	378	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gurdaspur	1,168,314	856,230	11,213	12,087	...	874	...	0'30	...	...	...	...	2'04	2'08	0'15	1'31	1'65	0'11	4'74	4'70
Amritsar	1,006,798	766,773	82,330	95,987	...	13,607	...	...	...	...	...	...	3'30	2'67	...	1'83	0'30	0'12	3'60	4'52
Lahore	2,334,552	1,164,921	113,602	133,106	...	19,504	...	...	...	...	...	...	2'80	1'70	0'10	1'30	0'30	...	3'30	3'00
TOTAL B. D. CANAL	4,509,664	2,787,924	207,145	241,130	...	33,985	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lahore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montgomery . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mooltan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL INUNDATION CANALS	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL	11,918,214⁽²⁾	7,013,992⁽²⁾	408,635	373,954	69,044	34,363	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Area irrigated 1882-83 Acres.
Ditto ditto 1881-82 373,954
Net Increase 34,681

- (1) These figures differ from those shown in the returns for rabi 1881-82, in consequence of the omission of Gurgaon from this statement, in which district no irrigation is shown.
(2) These figures differ from those shown in return for corresponding crop of previous year, in consequence of the omission of the Inundation Canals from the present return.

STATEMENT No. II.

Statement in Acres of Crops irrigated in Canal Districts.

DESCRIPTION OF CROPS.	Umballa.	Karnal.	Rohatak.	Delhi.	Hissar.	Jind.	Bikaner.	Gurdaspur.	Amritsar.	Lahore.	Montgomery.	Mooltan.	Dera Ghazi Khan.	Shabpur.	Muzaffargarh.	TOTAL.
Wheat	277	30,909	33,088	22,939	35,628	23,062	138	6,876	57,240	91,938	...	...	...	...	...	308,125
Barley	25	516	139	5	1,189	629	7	391	693	643	...	...	...	...	...	4,534
Mixed Grain . . . . .	...	4,032	5,714	4,067	5,112	5,751	65	448	1,505	1,126	...	...	...	...	...	27,820
Others	402	6,183	1,288	3,762	4,125	6,004	17	3,498	22,899	19,895	...	...	...	...	...	68,156
TOTAL RABI, 1882-83	794	47,940	40,229	30,773	46,054	35,473	227	11,213	82,330	113,602	...	...	...	...	...	408,635
TOTAL RABI, 1881-82	709	33,116	26,263	21,938	26,685	23,448	605	12,087	95,937	133,106	...	...	...	...	...	373,954*

- * These figures differ from those shown in return for corresponding crop of previous year, in consequence of the omission of the Inundation Canals from the present return.

STATEMENT No. III.

Statement in Acres of Crops irrigated in Canal Divisions.

DESCRIPTION OF CROPS.	WESTERN JUMNA CANAL.				BARI DOAB CANAL.			Upper Sutlej Division Inundation Canals.	Lower Sutlej and Chenab Division Inundation Canals.	Dera Ghazi Khan Division Indus Canals.	Shabpur Canals.	TOTAL.
	Karnal Division.	Hansi Division.	Delhi Division.	TOTAL.	1st Division.	2nd Division.	TOTAL.					
Wheat	7,273	77,112	67,686	152,071	25,632	130,423	156,054	...	...	...	...	308,124
Barley	558	2,244	5	2,807	440	1,287	1,727	...	...	...	...	4,534
Mixed Grain . . . . .	...	15,073	9,098	24,741	939	2,140	3,079	...	...	...	...	27,820
Others	2,179	12,767	6,925	21,871	10,576	35,709	46,285	...	...	...	...	68,156
TOTAL RABI, 1882-83	10,010	107,196	84,284	201,490	37,587	169,558	207,145	...	...	...	...	408,635
TOTAL RABI, 1881-82	9,030	65,878	54,916	129,824	45,795	195,335	241,130	...	...	...	...	373,954*

- * These figures differ from those shown in return for corresponding crop of previous year, in consequence of the omission of the Inundation Canals from the present return.

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Comparative Statement of Irrigation and Rain-fall

Number.	Collectorate.	NAME OF WORK.	AREA UNDER COMMAND.		AREA					
			Gross Acres.	Irrigable Acres.	Fusi Khárif, 1882-83.			Fusi Rabi, 1882-83.		
					Total Acres.	In comparison with 1881-82.		Total Acres.	In comparison with 1881-82.	
						Increase.	Decrease.		Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	11	12
1	AHMEDABAD.	Hátmati Canal . . .	36,000	31,231	1,043	...	470	915	...	93
2		Khari Cut . . .	3,890	3,890	378	300	...	...	...	...
3	KHANDESH.	Hartala Tank . . .	584	527	13	...	6	88	88	...
4		Mukti Reservoir . . . <i>Lower Pánjhra River Works.</i>	13,117	12,627	311	...	99	693	167	...
5		Mhasva Tank . . .	4,093	3,912	58	...	30	129	78	...
6	NÁSİK.	Jamda Canals . . .	46,288	40,185	142	...	267	938	186	...
7		Palkher Canals . . . <i>Kádwa River Works.</i>	26,031	19,188	480	...	108	413	...	22
8		Wadáli Canal . . .	2,739	2,152	124	...	60	82	40	...
9	AHMEDNAGAR.	Ojhár Tambat Canal . . . <i>Pravara River Works.</i>	6,730	5,212	81	...	8	61	50	...
10		Ojhár Canal . . .	23,624	20,088	914	...	382	1,494	...	303
11		Lákh Canal . . .	29,913	22,760	110	...	24	127	...	55
12	POONA.	Bhátodi Tank . . .	14,733	12,485	430	55	...	593	183	...
13		Mutha Canals . . .	88,087	44,800	5,394	938	...	3,695	...	822
14		Kásurdi Tank . . .	597	478	37	37	...	123	79	...

OF INDIA.

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on Canals in the Deccan and Gujarát for the Year 1882-83.

IRRIGATED.			Percentage of Increase or Decrease.	RAIN-FALL.		Percentage of Increase or Decrease in 1882-83.	REMARKS.
Whole Year 1882-83.				1881-82 Inches.	1882-83 Inches.		
Total Acres.	In comparison with 1881-82.						
	Increase.	Decrease.					
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
1,958	...	563	22	K. 41.04 R. 0.04 T. 41.08	19.35 0.3 19.38	112	} Rain-fall at Dhulia.
378	300	...	79	K. 33.74 R. .10 T. 33.84	31.10 0.0 31.10	9	
101	82	...	431	K. 15.35 R. .62 T. 15.97	21.17 0.60 21.77	86	
1,004	68	...	7	K. 12.32 R. 1.10 T. 13.42	26.09 0.32 26.41	97	
187	48	...	35	K. 14.47 R. 2.20 T. 16.67	31.54 0.0 31.54	89	
1,080	...	81	7	K. 16.21 R. 3.24 T. 19.45	20.09 0.22 20.31	4	
893	...	130	13	K. 16.26 R. 3.06 T. 19.32	44.48 1.95 46.43	140	
206	...	20	9	K. 15.46 R. 1.64 T. 17.10	29.86 .70 30.56	78	
142	42	...	42	K. 9.43 R. 1.09 T. 10.52	24.83 1.37 26.20	149	
2,408	...	685	22	K. 13.37 R. 4.50 T. 17.87	17.22 1.24 18.46	3	} Rain-fall at Ashwi.
237	...	79	25	K. 14.26 R. 2.73 T. 16.99	29.77 1.23 31.00	82	
1,023	238	...	30	K. 17.61 R. 4.38 T. 21.99	27.33 4.35 31.68	44	} Figures of rain-fall are those of Civil Hospitals at Poona. The fall at Uroli at 36th mile of Mutha Right Bank Canal was, 1881-82, K. 6.96, R. 1.60, T. 8.46; 1882-83, K. 13.43, R. 1.99, T. 15.42, the rain-fall at Kasurdi, the 44th mile, and at Khedgaon, the 61st mile, is given opposite Kasurdi and Matoba Tanks respectively.
9,059	116	...	1	K. 6.11 R. 2.98 T. 9.09	18.61 2.69 21.30	134	
160	116	...	264	T. 9.09	21.30	134	

Comparative Statement of Irrigation and Rain-fall

Number.	Collectorate.	NAME OF WORK.	AREA UNDER COMMAND.		AREA					
			Gross Acres.	Irrigable Acres.	Fast Khárif, 1882-83.			Fast Rabi, 1882-83.		
					Total Acres.	In comparison with 1881-82.		Total Acres.	In comparison with 1881-82.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	Increase.	Decrease.	9	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	11	12
15	POONA.	Mátoba Tank	10,700	7,133	621	310	...	1,311	387	...
16		Sirsuphal Tank	4,500	2,500	...	...	109	200	199	...
17		Bhadalvadi Tank	1,900	1,520	47	...	62	84	45	...
18	SHOLAPUR.	Ekrúk Tank	17,149	15,318	786	...	21	520	97	...
19		Ashti Tank	6,940	6,047	137	60	...	111	29	...
20	SATARA.	Revári Canal	3,812	3,682	160	...	40	359	161	...
21		Yearla Canals	7,580	7,160	403	...	34	346	...	136
22		Pingli Tank	3,470	3,066	118	90	...	182	89	...
23	DURGAPUR.	Gondoli Canal	3,470	3,066	118	90	...	182	89	...
24		Maini Tank	4,876	4,625	467	...	238	275	69	...
25		Chikhli Canal	1,870	1,477	179	...	15	38	38	...
26	DURGAPUR.	Krishna Canal	28,131	27,075	1,498	...	1,875	1,525	552	...
27		Dambal Tank	3,955	3,885	21	21	...	...	...	...
28		Madag Tank	2,045	2,024	321	...	128	161	...	32
		TOTAL	3,93,354	3,05,047	14,273	...	2,165	14,463	1,074	...

on Canals in the Deccan and Gujarat for the Year 1882-83—continued.

IRRIGATED.			Percentage of Increase or Decrease.	RAIN-FALL.		Percentage of Increase or Decrease in 1882-83.	REMARKS.
Whole Year, 1882-83.				1881-82 Inches.	1882-83 Inches.		
Total Acres.	In comparison with 1881-82.						
	Increase.	Decrease.					
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
1,932	697	...	56	K. 8.36 R. 4.21	11.85 1.65	7	
200	90	...	82	T. 12.57	13.50	1	
131	...	17	11	K. 10.06 R. 3.54	11.10 2.32	68	Work opened for first time in 1881.
1,806	76	...	6	T. 13.60	13.42	90	
248	89	...	56	K. 9.75 R. 4.67	23.12 1.12	40	
519	121	...	30	T. 14.42	24.24	68	
749	...	170	18	K. 17.38 R. 3.10	36.79 2.28	78	
300	179	...	148	T. 20.48	39.07	52	Pingli rain-fall.
742	...	169	19	K. 15.09 R. 5.24	23.60 4.93	41	Gondol ditto.
217	23	...	12	T. 22.68	38.17	11	
3,023	...	1,323	30	K. 11.67 R. 7.21	30.06 3.63	150	
21	21	...	21	T. 18.88	33.69	194	
482	...	160	25	K. 10.48 R. 4.76	21.27 1.99	17	
28,736	...	1,091	5	T. 15.24	23.26	196	
				K. 9.54 R. 5.11	18.81 1.98	69	* Average of 27 Stations.
				T. 14.65	20.79		
				K. 11.97 R. 10.76	24.23 1.18		
				T. 22.73	25.41		
				K. 10.34 R. 4.58	31.71 5.65		
				T. 14.92	37.36		
				K. 11.15 R. 3.74	41.32 2.48		
				T. 14.89	43.50		
				K. 8.04 R. 8.71	16.36 3.36		
				T. 16.75	19.72		
				K. 7.63 R. 5.16	36.66 1.26		
				T. 12.79	37.92		
				*18.08	27.96		

NOTE.—Figures in block in columns 15 and 19 show percentage of decrease.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XXVI of 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest return received.	Railways.	Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 5TH JULY 1882.		Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 7TH JULY 1883.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 5TH JULY 1882.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 7TH JULY 1883.		Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total.	Per mile open per week.		
	<i>Guaranteed.</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>
14th July 1883	Eastern Bengal . . .	172	56,011	326	207	72,450	350	10,22,283	420	12,70,757	438	2,48,474	...
7th ditto	Oudh and Rohilkhand . . .	547	72,329	132	547	89,668	164	15,51,243	200	18,25,969	239	2,74,726	...
7th ditto	Sind, Punjab & Delhi . . .	676	1,77,494	263	749	2,72,803	364	27,67,123	289	35,79,922	344	8,12,799	...
7th ditto	Madras . . .	861	1,31,165	152	861	1,32,068	153	20,12,788	165	18,47,786	153	...	1,65,002
7th ditto	South Indian . . .	655	78,502	120	655	72,610	111	11,50,294	124	11,12,080	121	...	38,214
14th ditto	Great Indian Peninsula . . .	1,458	4,46,668	306	1,451	3,51,894	243	1,11,40,923	543	1,20,58,454	594	9,17,531	...
7th ditto	Bombay, Baroda and Central India . . .	461	1,36,377	296	461	98,263	213	36,49,575	559	39,31,165	609	2,81,590	...
	TOTAL	4,830	10,98,546	227	4,931	10,89,756	221	2,32,94,229	342	2,56,26,133	372	23,31,904	...
	<i>State.</i>												
14th July 1883	East Indian . . .	1,507	7,69,686	511	1,509	10,60,804	703	1,24,71,706	589	1,51,52,008	717	26,30,302	...
14th ditto	Calcutta and South-Eastern . . .	33	2,611	79	56	4,990	89	58,362	137	86,115	116	27,753	...
14th ditto	Nalhati . . .	27	1,097	41	27	1,381	51	19,805	52	23,058	61	3,253	...
14th ditto	Northern Bengal . . .	233	23,029	99	239	24,860	104	5,18,354	157	5,63,894	175	45,540	...
14th ditto	Tirhoot . . .	82	11,055	135	166	15,846	95	1,81,237	151	2,32,727	101	51,490	...
9th June 1883	Patna-Gya . . .	57	7,027	123	...	(a)	...	(b)1,02,446	177	(c)99,297	174	...	3,149
14th July 1883	Muttra-Hathras . . .	29	1,496	52	29	1,593	55	32,949	80	36,464	90	3,515	...
14th ditto	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad . . .	87	5,113	59	87	6,031	69	94,714	77	96,618	79	1,904	...
15th ditto	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur . . .	12	574	48	12	943	79	15,462	91	16,539	98	1,077	...
14th ditto	Rajputana-Malwa . . .	1,117	1,64,373	147	1,117	2,15,500	193	32,73,240	207	38,24,095	244	5,50,855	...
7th ditto	Wardha Coal . . .	45	1,430	32	45	12,840	285	1,84,505	290	2,23,643	355	39,138	...
7th ditto	Nagpur & Chhattisgarh . . .	98	4,589	47	149	10,118	68	2,18,294	157	5,35,389	256	3,17,095	...
7th ditto	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley . . .	161	17,357	108	161	20,723	129	4,54,877	200	4,35,466	193	...	19,411
7th ditto	Sindia . . .	75	5,701	76	75	7,030	94	91,705	86	82,014	78	...	9,691
7th ditto	Punjab Northern . . .	412	50,043	121	419	59,558	142	8,58,961	153	8,44,795	144	...	14,166
7th ditto	Indus Valley and Kandahar . . .	660	1,07,220	162	660	1,88,468	286	12,41,659	133	23,77,406	257	11,35,747	...
7th ditto	Muttra-Achnera . . .	23	935	41	23	1,090	47	17,752	54	20,672	64	2,920	...
14th ditto	Kaunia-Dhurla . . .	32	1,240	39	32	2,058	64	22,266	48	27,399	61	5,133	...
14th ditto	Rewari-Ferozepore . . .	...	...	...	89	8,400	94	...	...	93,017	74	93,017	...
	TOTAL	3,183	4,04,890	127	3,386	5,81,429	172	73,86,588	165	96,18,608	200	22,32,020	...
	<i>Native States.</i>												
7th July 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal . . .	194	10,366	53	193	8,584	44	3,36,038	122	3,78,363	140	42,325	...
7th ditto	Nizam's . . .	121	10,795	89	121	12,960	107	2,49,678	146	2,10,810	124	...	38,868
30th June 1883	Mysore . . .	86	4,286	50	...	(a)	...	(d)74,308	65	(e)68,112	61	...	6,196
14th July 1883	Jodhpore . . .	19	8	...	19	570	30	(f)42	...	10,626	40	10,584	...
	TOTAL	420	25,455	61	333	22,114	66	6,60,066	116	6,67,911	113	7,846	...
	GRAND TOTAL	9,940	22,98,577	231	10,159	27,54,103	271	4,38,12,589	313	5,10,64,660	354	72,52,071	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,03,78,890	145	2,48,40,997	172	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,34,33,699	168	2,62,23,663	182	27,89,964	...

(a) Return not received.

(b) Total receipts from 1st April to 10th June 1882.

(c) Total receipts from 1st April to 9th June 1883.

(d) Total receipts from 1st April to 30th June 1882.

(e) Total receipts from 1st April to 30th June 1883.

(f) Total receipts from 24th June to 5th July 1882.

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Offg. Under-Secretary.

No. XXVII of 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest Return received.	Railways.	Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 15TH JULY 1882.		Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 14TH JULY 1883.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st April to 15th JULY 1882.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st April to 14th JULY 1883.		Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total.	Per mile open per week.		
	<i>Guaranteed.</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>		<i>R</i>		<i>R</i>	
21st July 1883	Eastern Bengal . . .	172	70,649	411	207	72,173	349	10,92,933	419	13,42,930	433	2,49,997	...
14th ditto	Oudh and Rohilkhand . . .	547	92,763	170	547	91,014	166	16,44,006	199	19,14,087	233	2,70,081	...
14th ditto	Sind, Punjab and Delhi . . .	676	1,70,226	252	749	2,33,310	311	29,37,349	287	38,13,233	343	8,75,884	...
14th ditto	Madras . . .	861	1,34,887	157	861	1,34,624	156	21,47,075	165	19,91,714	154	...	1,55,961
14th ditto	South Indian . . .	655	61,709	94	655	77,497	118	12,12,003	122	11,89,577	121	...	22,426
21st ditto	Great Indian Peninsula . . .	1,458	3,51,278	241	1,451	3,16,348	218	1,15,86,975	527	1,23,74,802	566	7,87,827	...
14th ditto	Bombay, Baroda and Central India . . .	461	1,13,496	246	461	54,337	118	37,63,071	539	39,74,874	575	2,11,803	...
	TOTAL	4,830	9,95,008	206	4,931	9,79,303	199	2,43,84,012	334	2,66,01,217	360	22,17,205	...
	<i>State.</i>												
21st July 1883	East Indian . . .	1,507	8,26,210	548	1,509	9,75,953	647	1,32,97,916	582	1,61,21,713	713	28,23,797	...
14th ditto	Calcutta and South-Eastern . . .	33	2,434	74	56	4,610	82	60,796	134	1,01,274	130	40,478	...
21st ditto	Nalhati . . .	27	1,101	41	27	1,422	53	20,906	51	24,839	61	3,933	...
14th ditto	Northern Bengal . . .	233	33,075	142	239	32,760	137	5,51,430	156	5,86,605	169	35,175	...
21st ditto	Tirhoot . . .	82	11,951	146	166	17,079	103	1,93,187	150	2,53,801	103	60,614	...
9th June 1883	Patna-Gya . . .	57	6,953	122	...	(a)	...	(b) 1,02,446	177	(c) 99,297	174	...	3,149
21st July 1883	Muttra-Hathras . . .	29	1,586	55	29	1,561	54	34,535	78	38,169	88	3,634	...
21st ditto	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad . . .	87	6,405	74	87	5,346	61	1,01,120	77	1,01,964	78	844	...
14th ditto	Dildarnagar-Ghaziपुर . . .	12	659	55	12	674	56	16,121	89	17,193	96	1,072	...
21st ditto	Rajputana-Malwa . . .	1,117	1,37,603	123	1,117	1,12,900	101	34,10,843	202	39,59,367	236	5,48,524	...
21st ditto	Wardha Coal . . .	45	991	22	45	10,772	239	1,85,496	272	2,34,185	347	48,689	...
14th ditto	Nagpore and Chhattisgarh . . .	98	2,951	30	149	10,236	69	2,21,245	149	5,45,543	244	3,24,298	...
14th ditto	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley . . .	161	18,505	115	161	20,592	128	4,73,382	194	4,56,163	189	...	17,219
14th ditto	Sindia . . .	75	7,429	99	75	6,905	92	99,134	87	99,062	88	...	72
14th ditto	Punjab Northern . . .	412	51,961	126	419	52,321	125	9,10,923	150	9,05,235	143	...	5,688
14th ditto	Indus Valley and Kandahar . . .	660	75,701	115	660	1,41,616	215	13,17,360	132	24,47,033	247	11,29,673	...
21st ditto	Muttra-Achnera . . .	23	873	38	23	1,090	47	18,625	53	22,026	64	3,401	...
21st ditto	Kaunia-Dharla . . .	32	1,157	36	32	1,662	52	23,423	48	28,972	60	5,549	...
21st ditto	Rewari-Ferozepore . . .	...	...	...	89	5,520	62	...	...	1,02,161	77	1,02,161	...
	TOTAL	3,183	3,61,335	114	3,386	4,27,066	126	77,40,972	161	1,00,22,889	194	22,81,917	...
	<i>Native States.</i>												
14th July 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal . . .	194	8,329	43	193	10,380	54	3,44,366	117	3,90,356	135	45,990	...
14th ditto	Nizam's . . .	121	12,676	105	121	16,109	133	2,62,354	143	2,27,297	125	...	35,057
7th ditto	Mysore . . .	86	4,917	57	...	(a)	...	(d) 79,206	65	72,716	60	...	6,490
21st ditto	Jodhpur . . .	19	33	2	19	440	23	(f) 74	...	11,459	40	11,385	...
	TOTAL	420	25,955	62	333	26,929	81	6,86,000	112	7,01,828	112	15,828	...
	GRAND TOTAL	9,940	22,08,508	222	10,159	24,09,251	237	4,61,08,900	307	5,34,47,647	346	73,38,747	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,19,33,548	146	2,48,76,607	161	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,41,75,352	161	2,85,71,040	185	43,95,688	...

(a) Return not received.
 (b) Total receipts from 1st April to 10th June 1882.
 (c) Total receipts from 1st April to 9th June 1883.

(d) Total receipts from 1st April to 8th July 1882.
 (e) Total receipts from 1st April to 7th July 1883.
 (f) Total receipts from 21st June to 15th July 1882.

SIMLA.
 The 4th August 1883.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

RULES FOR THE LEVY AND EXPENDITURE OF FEES ON MASONRY GRAVES
AND MONUMENTS IN CEMETERIES AND CHURCHES THROUGHOUT
INDIA.No. $\frac{5}{196-212}$.*Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department
(Ecclesiastical),—dated Simla, the 9th August 1883.*

Read again—

Home Department Resolution Nos. 4—248-63A., dated the 27th December 1882, sanctioning certain alterations in Rule II of Section II of the Rules contained in Home Department Notification, dated 12th December 1877, for the levy and expenditure of fees on masonry graves and monuments in cemeteries and churches throughout India.

Read also—

A letter from the Government of the Punjab, No. 1527, dated the 2nd ultimo, bringing to notice an alleged inconsistency in revised Rule II.

RESOLUTION.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to decide that revised Rule II of the Rules referred to in the preamble shall run as follows:—

“A further fee of one rupee per square foot shall be levied for the erection of a masonry monument in a burial ground, reduced to eight annas per square foot when the monument is of stone or marble, provided that the minimum fee payable for a monument shall be Rs. 5. No monument shall in any case be more than 3 feet in height. For a simple headstone or flat slab of stone or marble not more than 3 feet 6 inches in height and 2 feet in width a fee of Rs. 5 shall be payable. A fee of Rs. 75 shall be levied on a faculty for the erection of a monument in a church.”

Notes.—(1) A tablet on the wall of a cemetery shall be regarded as a monument.

(2) “Simple headstone.”—A cross of not greater height or length than 3 feet 6 inches is included in this description.

(3) In the case of a monument erected over a masonry grave, the aggregate of the fees under this Rule and Rule I will be one and a half rupees for each square foot of ground occupied.

(4) The term “stone or marble” does not include “plate.”

(5) The fee of Rs. 75 levied on a faculty, drawn in the case of non-Government churches by the present incumbents of the office of Registrar of the Diocese in Calcutta and Bombay, shall cease on a vacancy occurring in that appointment. The money is to be spent in charity as in the case of Government churches.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this Resolution be forwarded to the Government of the Punjab, with reference to the letter thence, No. 1527, dated the 2nd July 1883, and to other Local Governments and Administrations for information; to the Public Works and Military Departments and the Department of Finance and Commerce; to the Bishop's Chaplain, the Venerable the Archdeacon of Calcutta, and the Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland.

Ordered further, that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

The following is published for general information :—

**ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE TRANSPORT OF PILGRIMS FROM CAMARAN
TO JEDDAH.**

BRITISH EMBASSY ;
Therapia, 27th June 1883.

To

His Excellency the Viceroy of India, &c., &c., &c.

MY LORD,—With reference to my telegram of the 25th instant, I have the honour to inform Your Excellency that a contract, of which a copy is herewith enclosed, was signed on the 25th instant between the Vice-President of the Board of Health of Constantinople and the Agent of the Egyptian Khedivial Steam Boat Company, by which the latter engage to carry pilgrims from Camaran to Jeddah, after they have accomplished their term of quarantine, on payment of 25 shillings a head.

This service will commence as soon as the Camaran Lazaret is organized, and will cease 10 days before the Comban Bairam.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) HUGH WYNDHAM,
Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires.

CONVENTION

Between the Sanitary Administration of the Ottoman Empire,* represented by His Excellency Aarif Bey, Vice-President, and the Hon'ble Ternan Bey, Director of the Administration of the Mail Steamers Khedivieh, duly authorized, the following has been agreed on and stipulated with effect for the pilgrimage of 1883 :—

1. The Administration of the Khedivieh Steamers engage to transport from the Camaran island to the port of Jeddah all pilgrims who have finished their quarantine, and who have observed all the formalities and sanitary rules, with the sole exception of pilgrims carried from Camaran to Jeddah by the same boats which brought them to Camaran.

It is to be distinctly understood that a foreign boat can only carry those pilgrims from Camaran to Jeddah who have been brought to Camaran by that boat.

2. At first only one boat belonging to the Administration of the Khedivieh Steamers and capable of carrying at least one thousand pilgrims will be designed for this service.

If later on experience should show that this vessel is insufficient, a second ship belonging to the Administration will be designed for this service, so as not to delay the regular passage of those pilgrims who have finished their quarantine.

3. The service will begin as soon as the sanitary camps have been established in Camaran, of which the Administration of the Khedivieh will be informed by telegraph, and it will end 10 days before the beginning of the Bairam festival.

4. Each pilgrim will before leaving Camaran pay to the Administration 25 shillings for his passage from the Camaran bridge to Jeddah. If a pilgrim refuses to pay this sum, which has been fixed according to agreement with the Sanitary Council at Constantinople, the Administration will be entitled to refuse him a passage. Poor pilgrims, who are exempted from sanitary taxes, and who receive free rations during their stay in Camaran, will, when they show a certificate from Dr. Duca, Chief of the Sanitary Service, be recognized as such by the Administration of the Khedivieh, and they will obtain free passage on the Khedivieh steamers from Camaran to Jeddah.

5. Pilgrims who want first or second class accommodation must arrange for the cost with the Agent of the Khedivieh in Camaran.

6. The Administration of the Khedivieh Steamers has the exclusive right of carrying pilgrims from Camaran island to Jeddah. Competition will be formally prevented by the sanitary authorities in Camaran, with the exception mentioned in paragraph 1, of vessels which have been waiting for the pilgrims they have taken to Camaran.

7. The ships performing this special service and their pilgrim passengers will, unless cholera should have broken out during the passage, have free access to Jeddah and to all other Ottoman ports in the Red Sea.

In case cholera should break out during the passage between Camaran and Jeddah, ships and pilgrims will return to Camaran, and be subject to the quarantine of observation required by existing rules.

Constantinople, twenty-fifth of June, eighteen hundred and eighty-three (25th June U. S. 1883).

With the authorization of the General Direction of the Khedivieh Steamers.

The Vice-President of the Sanitary Council.

(Sd.) ARIIF.

The Director at Constantinople.

(Sd.) TERNAN.

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 7th AUGUST 1883.

GENERAL REMARKS.—The break in the rains noticed last week still continues; and except in Bengal, Assam and Burma, the rainfall of the week has been generally light and insufficient. In the Madras Presidency the unirrigated crops of three districts are suffering from want of rain, but elsewhere agricultural prospects are on the whole good. In the Southern Mahratta districts of the Bombay Presidency continued dry weather is beginning to wither the crops, and rain is urgently wanted: along the western coast, where the fall has hitherto been heavy, the recent light rains have been favourable, but elsewhere in the Presidency more rain is wanted. In Sind the lowness of the river is causing anxiety. Little or no rain has fallen during the week in Hyderabad, Central India and Rajputana, and serious injury to crops is anticipated, particularly in Rajputana, if the break continues.

In Burma, Bengal, and Assam there has been sufficient, and in some places heavy, rain and prospects are favourable. Dry weather prevails over the Central Provinces; the crops are still doing well, but more rain is wanted for the rice. In the eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh there has been good rain, but elsewhere the fall has been scanty; irrigation is being resorted to in the Meerut and Agra districts; and except in Saharanpur, crop prospects are still good. Light showers have fallen in several districts of the Punjab, but rain is urgently wanted throughout that province.

Harvesting is in progress in Madras and later *khari* sowings and transplanting of rice in Bombay. Young locusts are appearing in most of the Deccan districts, and vigorous measures are being taken to destroy them. In Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana, the Central Provinces, and the North-Western Provinces and Oudh *khari* sowings have been completed and the crops are being weeded. In the Punjab sowing is still going on.

In Burma ploughing is nearly finished; sowing and transplanting are in progress, and the young crops promise well. Early rice is being reaped in Assam and Bengal and transplanting of late rice is going on. In parts of Bengal transplanting operations are retarded by excessive rain, and heavy floods have damaged the crops in parts of Cuttack.

Cattle-disease of a mild type continues to be generally prevalent. Cholera appears to be abating in Northern India, but is still severe in parts of Bombay and the Central Provinces.

Prices are rising in tracts where the rainfall has been unfavourable.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(Aug. 8th)		
Bellary ...	·22 (average of five stations).	Standing crops—wet generally good, dry crops suffering; harvest paddy, yield average.
Kurnool ...	·42 (average of four stations).	Standing crops thriving; cattle-disease in six taluks.
Ganjam ...	1·0 (average of eleven stations).	Standing crops red gram, gingelly, and sugarcane thriving; cattle-disease slight.
Kistna ...	·4 (average of four stations).	Standing crops generally good; small-pox, fever, guinea-worm, and cattle-disease slight.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	·53 (average of ten stations).	Standing crops good where water available; harvest <i>kar</i> , paddy, &c., yield half; small-pox and cattle-disease slight in three taluks.
Coimbatore ...	·39 (average of five stations).	Standing crops dry; crops suffering from insects and want of rain in parts, elsewhere good; harvest <i>cholum</i> and <i>cumboo</i> in parts, yield about average; cholera in two taluks, 5 deaths; fever slight in parts.
Tanjore ...	·36 (average of eight stations).	Standing crops generally good, except dry crops in parts of two taluks not flourishing for want of sufficient rain; 40 deaths from cholera.
Madura ...	1·61 (average of four stations).	Standing crops fair in four taluks; harvest paddy and dry crops in parts; cholera slight in one village.
Malabar ...	1·63 (average of fourteen stations).	First crops progressing in all taluks; small-pox slight in all taluks; fever in four taluks; cattle-disease slight in parts; 14 deaths from cholera in two taluks.
Travancore ...	·088	Paddy in good condition and ripening; fever prevails. <i>General Remarks.</i> —General prospects fair.
Bombay—(Aug. 8th)		
Kurrachee ...	<i>Nil</i>	More rain expected; river at Kotri on 6th 15 feet 2 inches, against 19 feet 7½ inches on same date last year; fever in five talukas; small-pox in two villages in Sehwan and Ghorabari talukas, 6 fresh cases, 8 remaining sick; wheat, red rice, and <i>bajri</i> in Kurrachee 24, 32 and 36, in Dady 32 and 48, in Tatta 26, 29 and 36, and in Shahbandar 18, 36 and 40 lbs. per rupee, respectively.
Hyderabad ...	.....	River greatly fallen, was 4 feet 5 inches lower on 6th than on same date last year, is causing much anxiety; high winds prevail; fever in one, cattle-disease in three, and small-pox in eight talukas; wheat 25, <i>bajri</i> 40, <i>juari</i> 50, red rice 28, and white rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmedabad ...	.....	Transplantation delayed in places for want of rain; sowings continue; wheat 26½ and <i>bajri</i> 20½ lbs. per rupee.
Baroda ...	<i>Nil</i>	Public health fair; cholera of mild type appeared in Patan and Sidhpur of Kadi division and in Baroda city, there were 3 deaths; rice and sugarcane in good condition; prices risen; <i>bajri</i> 23½ and rice 23 lbs. per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—contd.		
Surat ...	17	Total rainfall 38·07; sowing operations nearly completed; rain wanted; slight cholera in Surat, Olphad, and Bardoli, in all 19 cases, 10 deaths; <i>juari</i> 33½ and <i>nagli</i> 43½ lbs. per rupee.
Nasik ...	Igatpuri, 2·28; Peint, 1·84; slight elsewhere.	<i>Kharif</i> sowings vigorously continue; young locusts in eleven talukas; cholera in nine talukas, attacks 171, deaths 77; wheat 27, <i>bajri</i> 28, and rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Very little rain—total of week 35.	Total rainfall to date 54·33, being 5·78 above average; abnormal temperature 1° to 2° warm; vapour in air normal; wind normal.
Poona ...	Slight showers during the week.	Cholera cases 346, fatal 151; insects supposed to be wing locusts appearing; <i>bajri</i> 37 and <i>juari</i> 47 lbs. per rupee, in Poona <i>bajri</i> 32 and <i>juari</i> 41 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	From '04 to '15 in Jamkhed, Newasa, Sangamner, and Akola; nil in the remaining talukas.	<i>Kharif</i> crops withering in Shrigonda, Karjat, and Sheogaon from want of rain; cholera 673 attacks, 352 deaths; <i>bajri</i> —maximum 51 lbs. per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 33 lbs. in Akola; <i>juari</i> —maximum 66 lbs. per rupee in Karjat, minimum 33 lbs. in Akola.
Sholapur ...	10	Total rainfall 14·12, more rain wanted; <i>juari</i> 63 and <i>bajri</i> 52 lbs. per rupee; cholera 788 attacks, fatal 304.
Dharwar ...	Maximum in Mugul, '83; minimum in Mundargi, Navalgund, Nargund, and Ron, '06.	Rain very badly wanted at the eastern talukas; standing crops promising, except in Ron where through absence of moisture they are withering; <i>juari</i> sowings still in progress; lands being prepared for sowing cotton in Dharwar, Hubli, Bankapur, and Kod; public health fair; <i>juari</i> 81 lbs. per rupee in Kod, elsewhere 73 to 42 lbs.; rice from 25 to 40 lbs. per rupee.
Kanara ...	In Karwar, 2·61; Kumpia, 3·66; Sirsi, 2·40; Hallial, '99.	Total rainfall 103·90; rice plants, sugarcane, and garden crops healthy; small-pox in Sidhapur, Sirsi, and Kumpia, 3 deaths; common rice in Karwar 12½, in district average 13½ seers per rupee.
Rajkot ...	Nil	General health fair; weather cool and cloudy; rain wanted; crops thriving; cholera in some villages of Halar; <i>bajri</i> 30 and <i>juari</i> 33 lbs. per rupee.
<i>General Remarks.</i> —Slight rain in a few districts, more wanted everywhere, urgently in the Southern Mahratta Country; river very low in Sind; sowing and transplantation still in progress; locusts in Nasik, Khandesh, Poona, Colaba, and Ratnagiri; cholera in all districts of the Deccan and in Tanna, also slight in Colaba and parts of Guzerat and the Southern Mahratta Country; small-pox, fever, and cattle-disease in a few districts.		
Bengal—(Aug. 8th)		
Chittagong ...	8·04	Weather seasonable; prospects of crops fair; transplanting of <i>amun</i> continues; prices steady; cholera and small-pox still reported.
Dacca ...	5·95	<i>Roachia</i> paddy being sown; <i>aus</i> paddy and jute being cut; prospects good; in Nawabgunge prospects of <i>aus</i> on low lands not so favourable.
24 Pergunnahs (Calcutta) ...	2·16	Prospects of both early and <i>amun</i> crops satisfactory; transplanting of <i>amun</i> going on briskly all over the district; price of common rice stationary; general health of people good; rivers rising.
Moorshedabad ...	2·14	Transplanting operations still in progress; <i>aus</i> and other crops doing well; public health generally good.
Rajshahye ...	1·62; heavy rain at Nattore.	Crops doing well; more rain wanted for <i>amun</i> crop.
Burdwan ...	8·42; heavy rain throughout district.	Transplanting progressing; prospects fair.
Rungpore ...	7·59	Weather hot and cloudy; prospects of crops good; harvesting of <i>aus</i> and transplanting of <i>amun</i> going on; cholera still prevalent in Kaligunge station.
Bhagalpur ...	8·91; weather rainy throughout district.	Prospects of autumn crops very good; transplanting of <i>aghani</i> paddy going on.
Purneah ...	3·23	Prospects of crops improved; transplanting operations proceeding; health fair; rivers rising.
Patna ...	3·46	Prospects of crops fair; transplanting of rice seedlings commenced; public health good.
Durbhunga ...	5·98	All prospects good; health fair; prices stationary.
Hazaribagh ...	4·64	Weather cloudy and rainy; transplanting of rice continues; prospects everywhere favourable; cholera still prevails in some parts of the district; general health good.
Cuttack ...	·96	Weather cloudy; low land <i>sarad</i> crops submerged owing to heavy floods in Jajpore and Kindrapara; public health good; sporadic cases of cholera reported from interior.
<i>General Remarks.</i> —There has been sufficient rain in all parts of the province during the week, except in parts of Central Bengal where more rain is still needed; transplanting operations are in full progress, but are being retarded in some places by excessive rainfall; in parts of Cuttack the low land crops are said to have been submerged owing to heavy floods; prospects of all autumn crops and of sugarcane are generally reported to be very favourable; harvesting of <i>aus</i> rice and <i>jute</i> is proceeding in Central and Eastern Bengal, generally with a fair outturn; manufacture of indigo is going on in Nuddea and Sarun; fever has appeared in a few districts and cholera, though abating, is still prevalent in some places; small-pox and cattle-disease still linger in two or three districts.		

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—		
Benares (Aug. 7th)	6·2; Chandausi 2·3	Sufficient rain has now fallen for the transplanting of <i>aghani</i> rice; all other crops are doing well; no sickness of men or cattle; prices steady.
Allahabad („ 8th)	Slight rain—average in seven tahsils, 1·0.	Weather fine just now, apparently a break; a few more cholera cases, some in cantonments of a mild type; prices easy.
Gorakhpur („ 6th)	Good rain, especially in south.	Transplantation of rice commencing; cattle-disease in east of district.
Jhansi	.....	Weather continuously cloudy, but rainfall scarcely sufficient; crops in <i>mar</i> soil are prospering, those on <i>rakar</i> land want rain; sowing of <i>til</i> and <i>bajri</i> in progress; prices fluctuating; health of people and cattle good.
Agra (Aug. 7th)	No rain	Well irrigation resorted to; fever in one pargana; sporadic cholera in three parganas; prices steady.
Bareilly	.....	Scarcely any rain; crops satisfactory; prices remain steady; cattle-disease diminished; health of people good.
Meerut	No rain	Wind variable; weather often cloudy; no injury to crops as yet; irrigation freely resorted to; health good; labour obtainable; supplies sufficient; prices steady.
Kumaun	Heavy rain doing much good.	Crops generally good; health good; cattle-disease increasing; prices falling.
Lucknow („ „)	1·1	Weather fair; good rains are reported to be very favourable for the <i>kharif</i> ; condition of the people and cattle normal; prices of food-grains steady.
Partabgarh („ „)	Sadr, 2; Patti, 9	Prospects of crops good; slight small-pox in Kunda tahsil; general health good.
Sitapur („ „)	No rain at Sadr; average in three tahsils, 3.	Health good; prospects good.
Fyzabad („ „)	Sadr, 8; Akbarpur, 4; Bikapur, 6; Tanda, 7; 1 average	<i>Kharif</i> prospects good; public health good; cattle-disease in part of tahsil Akbarpur; prices steady.
Rae Bareilly („ 6th)	1 average	Weather cloudy; <i>kharif</i> crops doing well; general health good; prices steady.
Cawnpore („ 7th)	Average in five parganas, 1·2.	Prospects good; health good; prices stationary.
Farukhabad	.....	Weather clear, with hot sun; health and condition of people generally good, but little fever prevails in the canal-watered tracts; more rain desirable within a week.
General Remarks. —There has been little rain during the week, except in Benares and Gorakhpur, but in most districts the prospects of the crops are still good; more rain however is wanted in several districts and in Saharanpur some of the crops have begun to wither; no injury has yet been caused to the crops in Meerut, where as in Agra irrigation is being resorted to; the general health is good; some cases of cholera of a mild type have occurred in Allahabad cantonments, and the disease is reported also from Agra and Saharanpur; prices are generally steady.		
Punjab—(Aug. 8th)		
Delhi	.....	Rain much wanted; health good; <i>kharif</i> sowings completed; slight rise in prices.
Hissar	.....	Rain much wanted; health good; prices rising.
Umballa	30	More rain wanted; health fair; <i>kharif</i> sowings in progress; prices of food-grains rising owing to deficient rain.
Jullundur	30	Health good; crops backward; prices rising.
Amritsar	.....	Rain much wanted; health good; prices rising.
Sialkot	20	More rain expected; crop prospects improved; health good; fall in prices expected.
Ferozepore	.....	Rain wanted; health good; crops backward; prices rising.
Lahore	.....	Rain much wanted; crop prospects gloomy; prices high.
Rawalpindi	90	Fever and cattle-disease in Murree tahsil, health elsewhere good; <i>kharif</i> prospects improved; rise in prices.
Mooltan	.....	Health and crop prospects good; prices rising.
Dera Ismail Khan	40	Health good; <i>kharif</i> sowings continue; prices steady.
Peshawar	.....	Rain needed; health good; prices rising.
General Remarks. —Slight rain in a few districts, but more is much wanted throughout the province; health good, except in the Umballa district and in the Murree tahsil of the Rawalpindi district; crop prospects, especially in the south, causing anxiety; prices of food-grains rising.		
Central Provinces—(Aug. 8th)		
Nagpur	.....	Weather close; rain wanted for <i>juari</i> ; <i>tur</i> and cotton thriving; 457 cases of cholera, 194 deaths; prices firm.
Jubbulpore	.....	Weather cloudy, but no rain; break beneficial for weeding; crops thriving; prices stationary.
Saugor (Aug. 7th)	.....	Rain much wanted for paddy especially, which is stunted; cotton and other crops thriving; prices steady; health good.
Seoni	24	Break too long, has retarded rice transplanting; cholera increasing, 53 cases, 29 deaths; price of wheat stationary, of rice slightly risen.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Central Provinces— <i>contd.</i>		
Hoshangabad ...	.....	Weather clear and hot, cloudy occasionally; prospects good; weeding continues; fever in Seoni tahsil; small-pox slight; wheat 16 and rice 8 seers per rupee.
Khandwa ...	13	More rain wanted, weather cloudy occasionally; prospects fair; 352 cases of cholera, 149 deaths; rice 16, wheat 16½, and <i>juari</i> 18½ seers per rupee.
Raipur ...	40	Weather very hot; prospects favourable, but more rain urgently needed; slight cholera in Rajnandgaon; prices steady.
Sambalpur ...	.....	No report received.
British Burma— (Aug. 8th)		<i>General Remarks.</i> —Rain much wanted for rice and in less degree for millets; prospects on the whole are favourable; prices steady; cholera continues severe in some places.
Akyab ...	12.99	Total rainfall up to date 119.83; 5 deaths from cholera in town, 6 in district; ploughing nearly completed; supply of seedlings for transplanting good; 4 deaths of cattle in one township, in others health of plough cattle good.
Rangoon ...	2.21	Total rainfall up to date 46.76; 1 death from small-pox, otherwise public health good; price of paddy from Rs. 85 to Rs. 93 per 100 baskets.
Bassein ...	65	Total rainfall up to date 55.93; 2 deaths from cholera in town and 5 in one township, otherwise public health good; 63 deaths of cattle in five townships; ploughing much advanced; transplanting suspended owing to small rainfall.
Prome ...	84	Total rainfall up to date 28.19; 3 deaths from cholera in two townships, otherwise public health good; 60 deaths of cattle in two townships; ploughing and sowing progressing; seedlings in good condition; more rain required in some parts of Pongde.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	4.62	Total rainfall up to date 97.67; public health in Moulmein and district good; 201 deaths of cattle in one township; ploughing nearly completed; health of plough cattle generally good; sowing progressing; crop prospects good; nurseries healthy in Moulmein town; ploughing, sowing, and transplanting progressing; health of cattle good; nurseries good; state of supply of seedlings for transplanting fair.
Toungoo ...	6.26	Total rainfall up to date 47.88; public health good; health of plough cattle good; ploughing progressing; ploughing wages six baskets of paddy per acre; price of paddy Rs. 64 per 100 baskets.
Kyoukphyoo ...	5.35	Total rainfall up to date 98.74; extensive fever in Cheduba, otherwise public health and health of cattle good; ploughing almost finished; half district sown; price of paddy risen to Rs. 30 per 100 baskets.
Sandoway ...	10.84	Total rainfall up to date 135.37; public health good; agricultural prospects favourable; wages of sowing and transplanting Rs. 1-8 per acre in central township; seedlings for transplanting good.
Hanthawaddy ...	.....	Public health and health of cattle good, except slight foot-and-mouth disease among the cattle in Twantay; ploughing and sowing progressing; wages of ploughing from 60 to 100 baskets of paddy per man, and hire of cattle from 100 to 150 baskets per pair; price of paddy varying from Rs. 95 to Rs. 105 per 100 baskets.
Pegu ...	2.35	Total rainfall up to date 71.52; public health fair; slight cattle-disease in Hlaigoo and Pegu townships, but not fatal; floods abated; sowings quickly progressing; paddy Rs. 90 to Rs. 95 per 100 baskets; season favourable at present.
Tharrawaddy ...	6.52	Total rainfall up to date 65.44; public health good; 30 deaths of cattle in two townships; in all the other townships health of plough cattle good; ploughing and sowing progressing; supply of seedlings and general appearance of young plants good; ploughing wages from 70 to 80 baskets per man to time of harvest; price of paddy from Rs. 88 to Rs. 102 per 100 baskets.
Thongwa ...	5.49 for week ending 28th July; 2.17 for week ending 4th August.	Total rainfall up to date 46.19; 3 deaths from small-pox in three townships, otherwise public health good; 31 deaths of cattle in two townships; health of plough cattle good in all other parts of the districts; ploughing progressing; some damage done to the nurseries in Thongwa township from floods; general prospects good; price of paddy from Rs. 80 to Rs. 85 per 100 baskets.
Henzada ...	1.38	Total rainfall up to date 48.23; public health good; 4 deaths of cattle in one township; ploughing and transplanting progressing; supply of seedlings and general appearance of young plants good.
Thayetmyo ...	53½	Total rainfall up to date 20.64; public health good; ploughing continues; transplanting half done.
Shwaygyin ...	6.12	Total rainfall up to date 87.95; public health and health of cattle fair; ploughing, sowing, and transplanting progressing; price of paddy Rs. 70.
Tavoy (July 20th) ...	8.62	Total rainfall up to date 118.70; public health and health of cattle good; ploughing and sowing progressing; general appearance of the young plants good, except in low lands where they have suffered from inundation.
Tavoy (Aug. 4th) ...	2.60	Total rainfall up to date 121.30; public health and health of cattle good; ploughing and sowing completed; general appearance of the plants good, except in Shwaygyoon where rats have destroyed the plants.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
British Burma—contd.		
Mergui ...	8.55	Total rainfall up to date 84.29; public health and health of cattle good; ploughing and sowing progressing; 30 baskets of paddy for every pair of ploughing cattle employed. <i>General Remarks.</i> —Rainfall for the week less than corresponding week last year, and total rainfall from 1st January less than total rainfall registered up to date last year; public health good; cattle-disease reported in a mild form in most districts, but severe only in Amherst; ploughing nearly finished; sowing and transplanting progressing, and the young crops are reported healthy; prices steady, but with a slight downward tendency.
Assam—(Aug. 8th)		
Gauhati ...	2.73	Weather hot and sultry; public health fair; cattle-disease still prevalent in the interior; <i>aku</i> paddy being reaped; sowing of <i>sali</i> paddy commenced.
Sylhet ...	3.57	Prospects of crops favourable; public health generally good.
Cachar ...	4.0	Weather rainy; transplanting of <i>aus</i> crops finished and that of <i>sali</i> crop progressing; common rice 16 seers per rupee; 1 death from small-pox from Katigora reported; general health good.
Dibrugarh ...	4.33	Weather rainy; transplanting of <i>sali dhan</i> in progress; cattle-disease reported from North Lakhimpur; public health good.
Mysore and Coorg—(Aug. 8th)		
Bangalore ...	.42	Standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; a few cases of cholera in the town of Bangalore.
Mysore ...	.62	Standing crops in good condition; prospects and health good.
Mercara ...	2.63	The break which has taken place in the monsoon is favourable to agricultural operations; transplanting of rice progressing; want of labour impedes work on coffee estates.
<i>General Remarks.</i> —Light rain in districts; standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health generally good; no material change in prices.		
Berar & Hyderabad—(Aug. 8th)		
Amraoti ...	.....	*Crops in good condition; weeding commenced; wheat 16 and <i>juari</i> 26 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	.13	Crops progressing favourably; prospects good.
Hyderabad ...	No rain	<i>Kharif</i> crops prospering; <i>abi</i> sowings continue; rain wanted; cholera prevails in two talukas in a mild form; no cattle-disease; prices of wheat 15, coarse rice 10½, white <i>juari</i> 23, yellow <i>juari</i> 28, and <i>tur</i> 24½ seers per current sicca rupee.
Central India States—(Aug. 8th)		
Indore ...	.....	Rain is now wanted; if the present break is prolonged, the later sown <i>kharif</i> crops will suffer; cholera continues in the Indore city, but there is no epidemic; prices have a downward tendency; weather cool and pleasant.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	.07	Health good; weather cloudy.
Sutna ...	.82	Health and prospects good.
Rutlam ...	.....	No report received.
Neemuch ...	.30	Prices rising; high winds; crops will suffer if rain does not fall shortly; public health good.
Goona ...	.....	Health and crops good; prices stationary.
Sehore ...	Nil	Weather cloudy; crops and public health good.
Agar ...	.....	Cholera is abating at Agar; rain is now much wanted.
Nowgong ...	.05	<i>Kharif</i> prospects favourable; public health fair; prices steady.
Manpur ...	.....	No report received.
Rajputana—		
Abu (Aug. 8th) ...	.11: rain very slight	More rain wanted; clear week, with clouds and frequent and continual strong winds.
Sirohi („ 5th) ...	No rain	Tanks about half full; fair amount of water in wells; health good; crops fair; prices rising slightly owing to long break in rains; fields being watered from wells; rain much wanted.
Marwar („ 3rd) ...	No rain	Tanks all empty; water obtained from wells with difficulty; health good; weather cloudy; want of rain much felt and causes anxiety to people; crops suffering for want of rain; prices stationary.
Meywar („ 5th) ...	No rain	Tanks, wells, and health good; crop prospects fair; more rain badly wanted, weather cloudy.
Haroti („ 4th) ...	No rain	Prospects as yet favourable, but rain urgently needed; 14 deaths from cholera at Kotah during week, disease spreading to villages on south-east of town, health elsewhere good; prices rising.
Jhallawar („ 3rd) ...	.....	Rain wanted in some parts; high west winds; health good.
Ajmere („ 7th) ...	No rain	Clouds appear morning and evening; state of crops critical; cholera increasing in city.
Jeypore („ „) ...	Nil	Weather cloudy; crops need rain; cholera still present; prices rising.
Bhartpore ...	.....	No report received.
Ulwur (Aug. 7th) ...	.....	Rain urgently wanted to save crops; 19 deaths from cholera in four tahsils; cattle-disease in three tahsils; prices steady; weather cloudy.
Nepal—(Aug. 3rd)		
Katmandu ...	1.85; frequent showers of rain.	Agricultural prospects good; weather rather hot.

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Read the following :—

Memorandum of the chief weather characteristics of the month of July 1883 in India.

Except in the North-Western and at a few Central stations, the rainfall of the month shows on the whole comparatively little departure from the average.

After the disappearance of the storm noticed in the June summary, which passed from the Bay of Bengal across India, and during the first two days of the present month, still lay over the western half of the country, there occurred a general rise of the barometer, a corresponding decrease in the humidity of the atmosphere and a cessation of the rainfall over a large tract of country for two or three days. On the 5th or 6th, however, rain recommenced generally and continued for some time. In the eastern half of the North-Western Provinces, Assam, Bengal, Burma and the south of the Peninsula, it fell more or less on every day until the close of the month, but over Western and North-Western India, the fall ceased about the 19th, and from that date until the end of the month a decided break in the rains occurred, and fine weather set in.

On the plains of the Punjab there were only 11 wet days, the break in the rains, which commenced on the 19th being very decided in this province. In consequence, the amount of rain for the month, and, except in the Indus Valley, the total since the 1st June, was several inches below the average. With this cessation of rainfall the skies cleared, and the temperature rose, so that, on the Punjab plains, the mean temperature of the nine final days of the month was 93°, the average maximum temperature being 105°, and the average minimum 81°.

The weather in the western half of the North-Western Provinces was similar to that experienced in the Punjab, but in the eastern half it was wetter, the number of rainy days being 19. In the Meerut division, 5 inches less than the average amount fell during the month, while at Lucknow 8 inches, and at Allahabad 1½ inches more than the average was registered.

In Assam, the number of wet days was 17, the rain being distributed over nearly the whole month. Except at Dhubri, the total fall from the 1st June to the end of July about equalled that of an average season, though, during July, the amount measured was somewhat deficient at Silchar, and excessive at Sibsagar.

In Lower Bengal and parts of Behar, the rainfall was several inches above the July average; while in Purneah, Patna and Orissa it was deficient. The average number of wet days was 26, and no break in the rains of any consequence occurred within these provinces.

In the Central Provinces the number of wet days was only 18, and the fall of rain below the average of the month, except at Khandwa. Two decided breaks occurred over this region, the first after the passage of the storm in the early part of the month, the second occurring with the general break after the 26th. Estimated from the beginning of June, the total amount of rain exceeds the average by about 5 inches.

Berar had only 10 wet days, and no rain fell after the 19th, but the few falls previously experienced had been heavy, and the total amount is 10 inches above the normal average.

In Central India only 15 days were rainy, and except at Sutna the amount of rain was below the average. The break in this province occurred after the 26th.

In Rajputana the rainfall was about the average amount, and occurred on 13 days ; scarcely any fell after the 17th.

Bombay had 17 wet days, and the break commenced here 2 days later than in Rajputana. The amount of rainfall at the stations in the Deccan was below the average, but along the coast and in Sind it was excessive. At Jacobabad it was 300%, at Malegaon 50%, and at Bombay and Goa between 30 and 40% above the local averages.

Over the southern parts of the Peninsula rain fell on 22 days, and the amount was above the average.

In the Carnatic rain fell on 13 days ; there was no decided break, and the amounts were small and varied considerably.

The largest number of wet days, viz., 30, was experienced in British Burma, but notwithstanding this constant precipitation, the total at the end of the month was somewhat below the usual amount.

The following table gives in a summarised form the above information :—

	Rainy days.	Date of break.	Amount compared with average.
Punjab	11	19th ...	Below.
North-Western Provinces	19	None ...	Variable.
Assam	17	None ...	Equal.
Bengal	26	None ...	Above.
Central Provinces	18	26th ...	Below.
Berars	10	19th ...	Above.
Central India	15	21th ...	Below.
Rajputana	13	17th ...	Equal.
Bombay	17	19th ...	Above.
Southern Peninsula	22	None ...	Above.
Ceylon	9	24th ...	Below.
Carnatic	13	None ...	Variable.
British Burmah	30	None ...	Below.

The largest total fall of rain was at Mercara, 53 inches, the smallest at Negapatam 0.29 inch, while the largest excessive departure from the average was 15 inches at Bombay, and the largest deficiency 9 inches at Saugor (Central Provinces).

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GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING
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ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 67.

The Council met at Government House, Simla, on Wednesday, the 8th
August, 1883.

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The Hon'ble D. G. Barkley.

BURMA PILOTS BILL.

The Hon'ble Mr. ILBERT presented the Report of the Select Committee
on the Bill to provide for the grant of licenses to Pilots in British Burma and
for investigating certain charges against them.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 22nd August, 1883.

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The 9th August, 1883. }
D. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary to the Government of India,
Legislative Department.



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

REPORT ON THE OPERATIONS OF THE CURRENCY DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1882-83.

No. 117, dated Calcutta, the 24th July 1883.

From—The Head Commissioner of Paper Currency,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce.

I have the honour to submit the report upon the operations of the Currency Department for the year 1882-83.

Arrangement of Subjects.

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OFFICERS IN CHARGE.

2. Mr. J. Westland was Head Commissioner, but Mr. E. T. Atkinson officiated for him during April, May, and till 28th June. In Madras Mr. H. F. Clogstoun

was Commissioner, and in Bombay Mr. A. C. Tupp was Commissioner for the first eight months (till 29th November) and Mr. E. Gay for the rest of the year.

NEW PAPER CURRENCY ACT.

3. A New Indian Paper Currency Act (XX of 1882) received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General upon 26th October 1882. Its immediate object was to permit of the establishment of a Currency Circle for Burma, without attaching to Burma notes the condition of convertibility in Calcutta; but the necessary amendments were incorporated with the old Act, so as to produce a new Act covering the whole subject. No other amendment was made beyond the conversion of the name of the Department, from the somewhat technical one of "Department of Issue" to the more customary one of "Department of Paper Currency," and similarly the Commissioners became "Commissioners of Paper Currency." Opportunity was taken also to give express legal sanction to what are known as Currency Agencies,—that is, offices subsidiary to the offices of issue, where notes may be issued and encashed, but where such issue and encashment is not legally demandable.

4. The arrangements for opening the Burma office of issue at Rangoon were not completed during the year as some unexpected difficulties arose in their progress.

ACCOUNTS AND AUDIT.

5. The monthly audits of the accounts have been duly reported, for each office, to the Comptroller General, and the following special audits have also been made :—

Accounts of	Auditing officer.	Date of report.	Period under Audit.
Calcutta . . .	Inspector of Local Accounts.	7th May 1883 .	Jan. 1882 to Mar. 1883.
Madras . . .	Ditto ditto .	15th January 1883 .	Jan. to Dec. 1882.
Calicut . . .	Dr. Cline, Asst. Acct. Genl., Madras.	17th October 1882	15th April to 14th Oct. 1882.
		14th April 1883 .	15th Oct. 1882 to 14th April 1883.
Bombay . . .	Inspector of Local Accounts.	5th February 1883	Jan. to Dec. 1882.
Allahabad . . .	Ditto ditto .	23rd " "	Ditto ditto.

CIRCULATION.

6. The following figures show the state of the *net* circulation :—

	Gross Circulation.	Retired by other offices.	Net Circulation.
1st April 1882 . . .	14,43,08,415	52,36,635	13,90,71,780
31st March 1883 . . .	14,98,49,685	47,85,610	14,50,64,075

It must be explained that a note is in "gross circulation" when it is not yet returned to the original office of issue, but if it has meantime been paid off by another office of issue, and is held by it pending return to the original office of issue, then it has ceased to be in "net circulation," though it is still part of the gross circulation.

7. The details of the net circulation of March 31st, 1883, are as follows :—

	NUMBER OF NOTES FOR RUPEES								TOTAL.	
	5	10	20	50	100	500	1,000	10,000	Pieces.	Value.
Calcutta	263,539	1,333,784	87,438	57,844	126,676	13,123	19,604	1,698	1,993,705	7,51,00,05
Allahabad	16,578	22,960	15,111	12,884	14,168	2,701	8,626	152	87,180	81,72,21
Lahore	13,949	34,308	20,110	14,437	14,446	2,940	2,286	57	102,532	73,11,47
Bombay	134,497	475,906	96,385	56,988	75,151	5,343	10,468	459	855,108	3,53,53,44
Kurrachee	6,760	23,811	10,604	4,404	5,826	597	1,539	...	53,541	31,24,40
Madras	32,846	57,030	31,108	23,822	62,004	3,743	1,566	294	212,113	1,51,25,09
Calicut	7,288	7,282	4,063	2,763	3,314	78	69	10	24,867	8,68,07
TOTAL FOR MAR. 31ST, 1883	475,457	1,955,081	264,819	173,132	301,385	28,513	38,158	2,661	3,230,406	14,59,64,07
TOTAL FOR MAR. 31ST, 1882	470,288	1,510,549	507,935	157,659	268,432	28,401	38,488	2,395	2,983,180	13,90,71,78
TOTAL FOR MAR. 31ST, 1881	429,075	1,425,995	530,582	104,592	261,098	28,362	42,100	1,638	2,883,444	13,40,77,36

There is a noteworthy decrease of 20-rupee notes and corresponding increase of 10-rupee notes in the Calcutta Circle, which will be afterwards alluded to, but otherwise the statistics are very nearly those of last year, with an addition of 2,000 thousand-rupees and 270 ten-thousand-rupees notes in the Calcutta Circle.

8. From these figures it will be found that the average value of each note in circulation on the last day of the year compared with the past two years, was—

	1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.		1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.
Calcutta Circle	39	40	39	Kurrachee	66	56	58
Allahabad	85	108	94	Madras	62	69	71
Lahore	67	72	71	Calicut	61	43	34
Bombay	44	44	41				

The high averages in such places as Allahabad and Lahore indicate the degree in which the notes are held by Banks as their reserve, rather than by the public in active circulation.

9. The variations in the net Circulation of each circle are shown in the following table, omitting 000 :—

Last day of	Calcutta.	Allaha- bad.	Lahore.	Bombay.	Kurra- chee.	Madras.	Calicut.	TOTAL.
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
March 1882	688'04	86'57	73'95	350'13	30'73	148'11	13'17	1390'72
April „	687'23	57'53	80'16	389'37	34'88	154'73	16'09	1419'99
May „	672'87	61'98	77'01	452'00	34'16	156'43	12'81	1467'26
June „	680'98	81'94	71'82	457'64	29'93	150'36	18'44	1491'11
July „	691'21	93'22	74'59	475'13	29'15	143'61	21'96	1528'88
August „	721'29	82'59	90'82	464'64	30'33	126'09	13'09	1528'85
September „	693'16	79'83	96'16	490'15	31'42	117'35	19'85	1527'92
October „	690'97	89'14	107'04	531'55	32'83	116'16	14'09	1581'79
November „	759'74	81'35	69'97	560'14	28'34	110'86	15'04	1625'49
December „	789'40	96'75	70'98	491'83	37'72	120'65	8'82	1616'14
January 1883	748'75	103'89	65'41	442'89	35'76	132'41	7'69	1536'80
February „	701'01	99'95	64'35	399'34	32'77	136'83	7'78	1442'03
March „	751'09	81'72	73'11	353'53	31'24	151'26	8'68	1450'64
Average of last 12 figures	715'64	84'16	78'45	459'02	32'38	134'73	13'69	1518'07
of 1881-82	643'82	72'20	81'32	369'69	33'31	134'76	15'36	1350'46
of 1880-81	654'06	53'48	92'55	381'54	34'61	135'27	14'78	1360'29

10. On these the following remarks are offered :—

First, for Calcutta, I show for the last two years the figures of the circulation (in lakhs of Rupees) excluding the Reserve Treasury of Government—

Last day of	1881-82.	1882-83.	Last day of	1881-82.	1882-83.
April	580	554	October	556	627
May	566	540	November	531	535
June	569	546	December	533	549
July	590	523	January	536	656
August	527	538	February	543	603
September	591	557	March	549	586

The normal state of the circulation in Calcutta I described two years ago as "a low range of circulation from April to September, a sudden increase of over $1\frac{1}{2}$ crores in the opening of the cold weather, and a rapid diminution in February." And I attributed these features chiefly to the preparations of the Banks for the cold weather trade, and their subsequent withdrawals of silver for the Burma and other inland trade. The interruption of the normal figures shown in the months of November and December is, perhaps, connected with the receipts on account of the four per cent. loan, which necessarily had for the time the effect of transferring large sums of money from the Banks to the Government Treasury.

11. The same figures for Bombay and Madras are—

	Bombay.	Madras.
1882, April	344	126
„ May	406	116
„ June	394	117
„ July	389	105
„ August	388	108
„ September	457	110
„ October	450	112
„ November	399	111
„ December	323	117
1883, January	400	127
„ February	386	123
„ March	345	123

The general features of these are the same as before,—namely, in Bombay an increase to a maximum in September and October, and in Madras a minimum about the same season.

12. The following figures show, in lakhs and thousands, the gross circulation in the head circles of notes not exceeding Rs. 100 each :—

Last day of	Calcutta.	Bombay.	Madras.
April 1882	303'71	167'83	89'24
May „	298'80	178'14	82'37
June „	293'74	169'21	87'79
July „	295'62	174'26	74'70
August „	284'22	170'93	75'98
September „	280'91	173'60	74'81
October „	296'24	176'84	75'40
November „	289'61	178'62	79'68
December „	291'58	172'77	83'43
January 1883	305'36	168'67	86'29
February „	318'09	174'47	86'61
March „	322'67	179'00	89'06

Calcutta and Madras both show the usual tendency to a minimum about September; but Bombay shows little seasonal variation.

ANALYSIS OF CIRCULATION.

13. The following statement analyses the outstandings on 31st December 1882 by years of issue.

As explained in former reports, the amount thus shown is necessarily much greater than the circulation of the date in question, as it includes, among other things, balances of notes held in the currency offices themselves for issue to the public :—

Outstandings of Notes.

CALENDAR YEAR OF ISSUE.	Amount issued in official year.	Value outstanding on 31st December 1881.	Value outstanding on 31st December 1882.
	R	R	R
1862	6,72,55,500	3,41,670	3,38,530
1863	4,72,01,000	1,10,540	1,07,520
1864	4,53,00,110	1,19,430	1,15,970
1865	10,10,04,920	1,02,540	99,790
1866	26,80,12,150	1,22,620	1,16,570
1867	33,06,49,710	1,29,290	1,07,710
1868	44,00,73,020	1,91,820	1,65,040
1869	49,34,48,480	2,00,750	1,73,260
1870	56,63,62,620	3,43,390	2,92,060
1871	62,25,21,200	3,77,400	3,03,350
1872	57,39,09,525	4,17,140	3,43,285
1873	61,69,24,575	5,30,195	4,35,805
1874	68,25,78,760	7,98,575	6,69,395
1875	62,69,70,815	10,91,920	9,06,555
1876	78,77,51,185	11,45,410	8,36,540
1877	99,52,50,980	18,73,510	14,19,185
1878	86,09,06,930	30,03,440	19,21,180
1879	81,51,93,855	59,04,540	36,14,155
1880	85,23,94,490	2,19,68,375	93,84,600
1881	a 71,68,22,915	13,15,58,530	2,21,53,165
1882	73,71,65,755	.....	14,84,03,280
TOTAL . . . . .	.....	17,03,31,085	19,19,06,945

a Corrected since last year's report by deduction of 6,22,535.

THE RESERVE.

14. The value held against the net circulation upon 31st March 1883 was as follows :—

SILVER COIN—	R	a.	p.	R	a.	p.
At Calcutta*	1,22,01,675	11	7			
„ Allahabad	99,36,540	0	0			
„ Lahore	1,24,19,100	0	0			
„ Bombay*	3,46,78,402	7	3			
„ Kurrachee	29,54,855	0	0			
„ Madras	87,93,610	0	0			
„ Calicut	3,15,300	0	0			
SMALL SILVER COIN—				8,12,99,483	2	10
At Bombay	3,76,000	0	0			
„ Kurrachee	7,800	0	0			
„ Madras	9,10,000	0	0			
SILVER BULLION—				12,93,800	0	0
At Calcutta	13,72,008	6	1			
„ Bombay	10,98,817	8	9			
Invested in Government Securities				24,70,825	14	10
TOTAL AGREEING WITH THE NET CIRCULATION				5,99,99,965	14	4
				14,50,64,075	0	0

* Including a fractional balance in copper.

15. The half-yearly verifications of the reserve balances were held as follows:—

	1st half.	2nd half.
CALCUTTA	Sept. 30, 1882	See below.
Allahabad	" 29, "	March 30, 1883.
Lahore	" 28, "	" 29, "
BOMBAY	" 30, "	" 31, "
Kurrachee	" 30, "	" 31, "
MADRAS	" 5, "	" 31, "
Calicut	" 30, "	April 14, "

16. The verifications are reported in each case to agree with the balances recorded upon the accounts, but the procedure is defective in not working up precisely to the balances shown upon 30th September and 31st March; and I have taken measures to correct this in future so that I may be able to report an actual verification of the reserve balance reported in the annual account.

17. In Calcutta there was no verification for 31st March; on that date a transfer of charge from the former treasurer to his successor was about to be carried out, and it was considered advisable to make the verification contemporaneous with, and part of the business of, this transfer. The verification has since been made, along with the transfer of charge, and in very great detail.

THE INVESTMENT.

18. No alteration has been made during the year in the amount of the invested Reserve, which is in my custody in the form of certificates of book debt on the Public Debt Office.

	R	R
No. 59 of 4 per cent. Loan of 1842-43 for	5,00,00,000	
" 72 " " "	1,00,00,000	
" 73 " " "	24,62,900	
" 92 " " "	74,800	
		6,25,37,700

The book-value of the whole investment—that is, the actual price at which it has been purchased—is R5,99,99,965-14-4 (within R35 of the legal limit), and is at the average value R95.94 per cent.

PROFITS OF CIRCULATION.

19. Our account with the Treasury was clear at the date of last year's report. Since then there has fallen due—

	R	a.	p.
A year's interest on R6,25,37,700	25,01,508	0	0

which amount has been duly realized and paid into the Treasury.

TRANSACTIONS WITH THE PUBLIC.

Issue and Receipt of Notes.

20. The following are the gross statistics of the year, the details by circle being shown in Statement VI:—

Gross Circulation, 1st April 1882	R
	14,43,08,415
ISSUES—	R
a—Over the counter	71,39,40,275
b—At agencies	1,21,99,940
c—In remittance transactions	1,10,25,540
	73,71,65,755
TOTAL	88,14,74,170
Carried over	88,14,74,170

	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>
Brought forward		88,14,74,170
RECEIPTS—		
<i>d</i> —Over the counter	54,57,40,005	
<i>e</i> —At agencies	28,22,800	
<i>f</i> —From Currency circles	10,54,01,635	
<i>g</i> —In remittance transactions	7,76,60,045	
		73,16,24,485
Balance, being gross circulation, March 31, 1883 (<i>vide</i> para. 6).		14,98,49,685

EXPLANATIONS.

- a* and *d*—These are the ordinary issues and receipts in exchange for other notes or for coin.
- b* and *e*—These are exchange transactions with treasuries, as the agencies do not deal direct with the public, but only enable the treasuries to do so to a greater extent than would otherwise be the case.
- f*—This figure represents notes cashed at other currency circles from March 16th, 1882, to March 15th, 1883, and returned during the year under report to the circles to which they belong.
- c* and *g*—These remittances are for the most part payments and receipts of one currency office, in consideration of receipts or payments at another.

COMPARISON.		Issues. <i>R</i>	Receipts. <i>R</i>
1882-83		73,71,65,755	73,16,24,485
1881-82		71,68,22,915	71,06,97,175
1880-81		85,23,94,490	84,04,84,390

21. The aggregate issues and receipts of the several denominations of notes at both offices of issue and agencies during the year, were as follows:—

	Number of notes for Rupees								TOTAL.	
	5	10	20	50	100	500	1,000	10,000	Number.	Value.
Issues	804,003	3,411,756	537,194	407,002	811,327	147,975	27,484	23,797	6,417,808	73,71,65,755
Receipts	798,043	2,909,590	780,511	391,269	777,207	147,928	27,629	23,479	6,164,397	73,16,24,485
More issues	5,960	442,166	...	15,733	34,120	47	...	318	498,344	1,18,53,610
Receipts	...	...	243,317	...	...	...	1,446	...	244,763	63,12,340

The only considerable figures here are the diminution of about 48 lakhs of circulation in 20-rupee notes and the corresponding increase of 10-rupee notes, of which an explanation will be given in connexion with the forgeries of the year.

22. So far as regards the three principal offices, the average number of notes that passed over the counters on each working day during the past three years, and the daily average of cancellations during the same period, has been—

	Notes cashed.			Notes issued.			Notes cancelled.		
	1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.
At Calcutta	14,013	11,877	12,595	14,339	12,112	13,275	9,122	6,925	8,661
" Bombay	4,932	4,625	5,009	5,265	5,111	5,475	2,624	3,113	3,170
" Madras	1,732	1,897	2,036	1,703	1,960	2,036	1,360	1,559	1,749

ENCASHMENT OF FOREIGN NOTES.

23. The following is the foreign note account of the circles in aggregate:—

	R	R
Balance held on April 1st . . . . .	...	52,36,635
Received over the counter	10,49,15,800	...
From other circles	1,10,31,110	...
At Agencies	50,000	...
		11,59,96,910
TOTAL		12,12,33,545
Remitted to the circles concerned		11,64,47,935
Balance held on March 31st		47,85,610
TOTAL		12,12,33,545

24. The following statement shows the statistics of the encashment of foreign circle notes, giving for the year an aggregate total, as just mentioned, of R10,49,15,800:—

Statement of Foreign Circle Notes cashed during the year 1882-83.

	Calcutta.	Allahabad.	Lahore.	Bombay.	Akola.	Nagpur.	Kurrachee.	Madras.	Calicut.	Coconada.	TOTAL.
CASHED BY	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
Calcutta . . . . .	...	(c) 2,06,39,180	(c) 2,04,69,395	1,47,55,190	2,750	9,005	3,43,260	16,34,980	4,95,695	3,315	5,83,52,770
Allahabad	46,90,835	...	7,63,765	1,20,33,690	425	2,825	66,765	10,94,955	15,415	2,010	1,86,70,685
Lahore	11,53,940	3,83,750	...	22,34,995	470	1,930	11,11,235	3,66,380	4,140	135	52,56,945
Bombay	16,07,755	6,21,900	27,25,155	...	...	...	(c) 22,49,755	20,77,830	3,11,160	4,285	95,97,840
Kurrachee	11,530	8,245	1,03,685	1,03,975	645	95	...	22,050	(c) 710	...	2,50,935
Madras	1,67,370	18,070	22,710	24,79,805	1,715	2,670	18,440	...	67,93,050	...	95,03,890
Calicut	28,545	6,455	3,910	21,12,915	220	950	7,370	11,21,210	...	1,160	32,82,735
TOTAL	76,59,975	2,16,77,600	2,40,88,620	3,37,20,600	6,225	17,475	37,96,825	63,17,405	76,20,170	10,005	10,49,15,800

The letter (c) marks the cases in which the Foreign Notes are legally encashable.

25. The comparison for these years is as follows:—

	1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.
NOTES CASHED AT	R	R	R
Calcutta	3,89,08,405	4,96,15,610	5,83,52,770
Allahabad	5,155	1,47,67,030	1,86,70,685
Lahore . . . . .	...	16,57,705	52,56,945
Bombay	1,65,13,125	1,92,27,615	95,97,840
Akola	11,030	715	...
Nagpur	59,215	3,05,295	...
Kurrachee	27,540	14,970	2,50,935
Madras	50,54,520	74,48,725	95,03,890
Calicut	26,53,800	23,09,210	32,82,735
Coconada	13,55,805	4,91,000	...
TOTAL	6,45,88,595	9,58,37,875	10,49,15,800

26. Thus under the requirements of the law, the amount of notes issued by each sub-circle and cashed at its head office were in—

	1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.
	R	R	R
Calcutta	1,96,83,500	4,11,89,990	4,11,08,575
Bombay	53,79,320	86,64,445	22,49,755
Madras	42,22,140	51,28,345	67,93,050
	2,92,84,960	5,49,82,780	5,01,51,380

27. A feature worthy of notice is the large encashment of Bombay notes at Allahabad and at Calcutta.

28. Both of these are the result of a demand on the part of the public for remittance from Bombay to Calcutta. When such demand exists, it is partly met by remittance of Bombay notes to Calcutta, which come into the Government Treasury in payment of opium and other revenue, and are then passed on to the Currency Department. As Government, in my opinion, gains both in respect of Treasury and in respect of Currency circulation, by this remittability of notes, I do not in any way attempt to limit or control this class of transaction. The other remittances, made through Allahabad, are not of so legitimate a character, being in fact a side effect of the legal encashability of Allahabad notes at Calcutta. As every Allahabad note encashed at Calcutta leaves its silver representative in the Currency reserve at Allahabad, the reserve there constantly tends to surplus, which by a working rule of the Department is considered available for the encashment of foreign notes. Accordingly a person who wishes to remit from Bombay to Calcutta, has only to present Bombay notes for encashment at Allahabad, take Allahabad notes in lieu, and present them for payment at Calcutta. As the only object of the working rule referred to, is the dispersion of surplus cash by encashment of foreign notes, I have withdrawn it at Allahabad and Lahore, and do not permit them to encash foreign notes when the only practical result is to change a demand realizable at Bombay into one realizable at Calcutta.

ISSUE AND RECEIPT OF COIN.

29. The transactions in coin are as follows (for details by circles refer to Statement VII) :—

	Coin.			Small Coin.		
	R	a.	p.	R	a.	p.
Balance, April 1st, 1882	6,94,06,550	6	8	12,80,400	0	0
RECEIPTS—						
Over the counter	14,45,86,750	0	0			
From small coin account	10,74,235	0	0			
At Agencies	1,73,74,540	0	0			
In remittance transactions	4,75,77,240	0	0			
From Treasury on account of Mint certificates	1,540	12	8			
By sale of securities . . . . .	.....				
From coin account . . . . .	.....			10,87,635	0	0
TOTAL RECEIPTS	21,06,14,305	12	8	10,87,635	0	0
TOTAL OF BALANCE AND RECEIPTS	28,00,20,856	3	4	23,68,035	0	0
ISSUES—						
Over the counter	13,04,58,430	0	0			
At Agencies	1,86,13,400	0	0			
In remittance transactions	4,84,47,280	0	0			
For Bullion and for melting fees	1,14,628	0	6			
To small coin account	10,87,635	0	0			
In purchase of securities . . . . .	.....				
To coin account . . . . .	.....			10,74,235	0	0
TOTAL ISSUES	19,87,21,373	0	6	10,74,235	0	0
BALANCE, MARCH 31ST, 1883 (see para. 14)	8,12,99,483	2	10	12,93,800	0	0

		Receipts. ₹	Issues. ₹
Comparison, 1882-83	. . . .	21,06,14,305	19,87,21,373
1881-82	. . . .	19,99,91,984	20,26,68,389
1880-81	. . . .	21,29,05,056	19,63,95,076

STATE OF THE COINAGE.

30. We have continued during the year the policy of receiving shroff-marked and notched coin, at par, for remittance to the mints for re-coinage. At the opening of the year, the North-Western Provinces held $27\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs ready for remittance, and Bombay held 14, mostly collected in the Punjab.

31. The following figures show the operations during the year (in thousands of rupees).—

	Balance, April 1.	Receipts from the Public.	Remitted to Mints.	Balance.
India Treasuries	2,00	1	1,79	22
Central Provinces	25	36	38	23
Burma	2	6	...	8
Assam	3	4	...	7
Bengal	65	66	61	70
North-Western Provinces	27,52	27,36	46,07	8,81
Punjab	3,19	24,33	22,56	4,96
Madras	1,11	52	1,02	61
Bombay	14,01	2,23	15,90	34

It will be seen from the above statement that the receipts from the public are almost confined to the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab, a few also coming in in Bombay.

32. The following shows the operation of the cutting clauses of the Coinage Act during 1882 :—

Statement showing the number of coins cut and broken under the Coinage Act in Treasuries throughout India during the calendar year 1882.

NAME OF PROVINCE.	Number of Treasuries in which coins were cut.	Believed to have lost by reasonable wear more than 2 per cent. in weight.				Believed to be counterfeit.				Believed to have been reduced in weight otherwise than by reasonable wear.				Considered unfit for further circulation by reason of obliteration of device or for other causes.			
		R	½ R	¼ R	1/8 R	R	½ R	¼ R	1/8 R	R	½ R	¼ R	1/8 R	R	½ R	¼ R	1/8 R
Government of India	4	153	...	...	...	444	15	4	2	1,187	162	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces	15	4,939	214	...	...	49	...	...	...	223	17	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Burma	14	322	...	...	...	689	1	1	...	844	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam	7	...	...	...	...	147	2	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	39	1,064	78	12	2	1,110	60	20	12	1,726	154	37	10	...	...	...	...
N.-W. P. and Oudh	43	4,631	369	...	...	251	12	7	4	4,182	85	1	2	...	...	...	...
Punjab	21	1,634	325	...	...	369	6	...	...	58,181	9	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	25	2,44,246	77,411	...	...	376	53	25	6	1,421	54	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	19	81,798	1,255	3	20	1,980	62	31	19	(a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL . . . . .	...	3,39,592	79,652	15	22	4,515	211	88	43	67,772	481	38	12	...	...	...	...

(a) I omit this figure as it obviously refers to the operation of the rules about shroff-marked coin.

33. The Madras figures will be enquired about ; if they are right, the coin in that Presidency seems to be in a comparatively unsatisfactory state.

34. During the year a new resolution was issued (F. D. No. 2849, dated 25th November 1882) giving the power of cutting coin to the principal officers of the Banks and of Presidency Corporations.

EXCHANGE OF SMALL COIN.

35. The receipts and issues of small change at the Currency Offices during the year were the following :—

	Receipts.		Issues.		Net Issues.	
	R	a.	R	a.	R	a.
Half Rupees	1,30,140	0	7,26,418	0	6,06,278	0
Quarter Rupees	37,204	8	9,64,083	4	9,26,878	12
One-eighth Rupees	34,465	8	8,37,409	12	8,02,944	4
Copper	915	0	32,033	0	31,118	0
TOTAL	2,02,725	0	25,69,944	0	23,67,219	0
TOTAL, 1881-82	1,50,707	8	22,44,759	6	20,94,051	14

BULLION.

36. The following figures show the operation of the bullion clauses of the Currency Act,—that is, the amount of bullion received by the Mint Masters on account of the Currency Offices at Calcutta and Bombay, for the issue of certificates payable at the currency offices in notes or coin :—

	Calcutta.			Bombay.		
	R	a.	p.	R	a.	p.
Balance of bullion on April 1st, 1882	31,02,035	15	1	52,82,827	11	11
Receipts of bullion at 979 per mille—						
April 1882	27,57,368	3	0	85,41,646	7	9
May „	11,86,806	8	0	1,35,85,943	9	3
June „	5	6	0	46,82,373	9	7
July „	2,039	10	0	1,53,557	9	8
August „	12,11,910	1	0	32,87,608	11	9
September „	1,99,306	6	0	34,97,254	9	10
October „ . . . . .	...			48,19,490	12	6
November „	7,85,273	7	0	26,24,461	0	5
December „	12,12,409	9	0	9,24,087	13	7
January 1883	1,97,576	0	0	3,39,181	5	0
February „	5,190	11	0	15,023	3	8
March „	3,72,941	4	0	3,980	8	3
TOTAL OF 12 MONTHS	79,30,827	1	0	4,24,74,609	5	3
Additional, 1 per mille credited on account of melting fees paid out of Currency Reserve	9,507	9	4	49,604	0	11
TOTAL RECEIPTS	79,40,334	10	4	4,25,24,213	6	2
TOTAL RECEIPTS AND BALANCE	1,10,42,370	9	5	4,78,07,041	2	1
Mint Certificates realised from Treasury	96,70,362	3	4	4,67,08,223	9	4
Balance of bullion on 31st March 1883 (see para. 14)	13,72,008	6	1	10,98,817	8	9

37. The receipts for the last four years have been—

	Calcutta. ₹	Bombay. ₹	Total. ₹
1879-80	2,06,60,058	7,24,62,050	9,31,22,111
1880-81	56,21,217	2,55,86,599	3,12,07,816
1881-82	59,87,643	1,53,84,809	2,13,72,452
1882-83	79,40,334	4,25,24,213	5,04,64,547

38. The heavy receipts of the current year are due to the practical stoppage for some months of Council Bills. This caused a flow of silver from London to India, and as Bombay is the nearer port, and silver is coined on precisely the same terms at Bombay as at Calcutta, the silver from London necessarily accumulated at Bombay.

39. This caused no small strain upon the Currency Department, for as the Bombay office was bound to issue notes for bullion at Bombay, and the money was really wanted by the importers at Calcutta as well as at Bombay, they used the means of remittance which have already been alluded to, and the result was quickly shown in accumulation of the silver reserve at Bombay and corresponding depletion at Calcutta. It was necessary, at the end of the year, to make very heavy remittances from Bombay to Eastern India, to bring things to a comparatively safe level; but the accumulation at Bombay is still a marked feature in the distribution of the reserve, although in the present efficient state of communication it is not worth while to remove the surplus, so long as there is no evidence of any demand upon it elsewhere.

40. The operation of the bullion clauses of the Currency Act is shown in the following monthly figures:—

Thousands of rupees.

	Receipts at the Mint of Bullion on account of the Currency Department.			Balance at end of month, of Bullion paid for by Currency Department and held as part of its Reserve.			Balance of Bullion held on Treasury Account, that is, the amount by which the deliveries of new coin failed to meet the Mint certificates, payable by Treasury to Currency.		
	Calcutta.	Bombay.	TOTAL.	Calcutta.	Bombay.	TOTAL.	Calcutta.	Bombay.	TOTAL.
	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹
April	28,17	90,31	1,18,48	34,78	76,40	1,11,18	28,09	18,23	46,32
May	12,11	1,37,17	1,49,28	42,52	84,71	1,27,22	51,47	47,79	99,26
June	0	43,21	43,21	37,29	15,19	52,48	31,97	69,04	1,01,01
July	2	1,57	1,59	30,28	1,54	31,82	14,14	30,23	44,37
August	12,38	35,06	47,44	16,66	25,23	41,89	14,85	14,78	29,63
September	2,03	36,51	38,54	6,46	33,37	39,83	12,20	16,92	29,12
October	0	40,01	40,01	2,82	35,16	37,98	10,41	18,00	28,41
November	8,02	24,79	32,81	10,67	30,08	40,75	30,73	22,62	53,35
December	14,28	9,4	23,69	22,51	19,51	42,02	26,07	18,21	44,28
January	14	3,54	3,68	19,47	10,79	30,26	23,67	25,47	49,14
February	3	8	11	14,59	10,95	25,54	25,94	18,69	44,63
March	3,81	4	3,85	13,72	10,98	24,70	23,37	16,70	40,07

AGENCIES.

41. The following are the transactions at the Agencies:—

	No. of Agencies.	Issues of Notes.	Receipts of Notes.
Agencies of the Calcutta Circle	15	7,75,390	7,85,300
Ditto Allahabad Circle	4	97,000	55,000
Ditto Lahore Circle	11	91,44,000	3,73,000
Ditto Bombay Circle	2	14,07,650	11,03,500
Ditto Madras Circle	2	7,75,990	5,06,000
	34	1,21,99,940	28,22,800

42. The following are the Agencies enumerated in the above figures :—

Calcutta Circle.	Allahabad Circle.	Lahore Circle.	Bombay Circle.	Madras Circle.
1. Backergunge.	1. Fyzabad.	1. Amritsar.	1. Nagpore.	1. Coconada.
2. Bhaugulpore.	2. Meerut.	2. Ferozepore.	2. Akola.	2. Vizagapatam.
3. Cachar.	3. Moradabad.	3. Kohat.		
4. Champaran.	4. Roorkee.	4. Mooltan.		
5. Dacca.		5. Peshawar.		
6. Darjeeling.		6. Rawal Pindi.		
7. Hazareebaugh.		7. Simla.		
8. Lohardugga.		8. Umbala.		
9. Monghyr.		9. Bannu.		
10. Moorshedabad.		10. Jhelam.		
11. Patna.		11. Dera Ismail Khan.		
12. Rajshahye.				
13. Sarun.				
14. Shillong.				
15. Sylhet.				

CLAIMS ON LOST NOTES.

43. The following is the statement of lost and mutilated notes paid during the year on bond of indemnity.

	NATURE OF LOSS.	NUMBER OF NOTES FOR RUPEES								TOTAL.	
		5	10	20	50	100	500	1,000	10,000	Number.	Value.
HALF NOTES	Lost by post . . .	24	130	70	34	80	8	6	...	352	22,520
	Lost accidentally . . .	49	74	54	29	92	6	6	...	310	21,715
	Mutilated . . .	7	20	8	9	12	1	...	...	57	2,545
		80	224	132	72	184	15	12	...	719	46,780
WHOLE NOTES	Lost by post . . .										
	Lost accidentally . . .										
	Mutilated . . .	3	5	1	1	7	1	...	...	18	1,335
		3	5	1	1	7	1	...	...	18	1,335
	Mismatched notes . . .	39	39	20	4	2	...	...	...	104	1,385
	TOTAL, 1882-83 . . .	122	268	153	77	193	16	12	...	841	49,500
	" 1881-82 . . .	224	403	309	170	278	36	15	...	1,525	81,530
	" 1880-81 . . .	422	660	408	210	395	25	17	...	2,137	96,370

44. The diminution in the annual amount is more nominal than real. As I mentioned in last year's report, we had instituted a new procedure with reference to these cases, one feature of which was the interposition of a stated interval between provisional acceptance of claim and payment. The first result of this change is the occurrence of an interval on which few claims are paid, so that the payments made within the year cover less than a normal year's instances.

45. So far as my observation has gone, the new rules have worked satisfactorily; certainly, to me, more so than the old rules.

FORGERY AND FRAUD.

46. There was one new case of forgery—namely, one of twenty-rupee notes of the Calcutta series. The forgery was rather better executed than usual, the notes being quite good enough to pass muster when not separately examined.

47. The first two of them were presented at the Calcutta Office on August 2nd, 1882, and were at once detected. A warning was immediately issued to the

public, which was followed by a singular panic, the Currency Office being crowded every day for some time with people anxious to get rid of their twenty-rupee notes. In this process five more notes of the same forgery came in, and since then four more have been received.

48. The total number received up to date is as follows :—

No.	Date of Presentation.	No.	Date of Presentation.
⁰ ₈₇ 80722	August 2	80721	August 12
80681	"	80675	October 10
80659	" 3	80823	March 8
80676	" 4	<i>At Bombay—</i>	
80684	" 7	80648	April 1883
80694	" 10	80657	" "

49. The effect of this forgery upon the circulation of twenty-rupee notes was very marked ; it has already been alluded to in paras. 7 and 21 above, but the following figures show it in greater detail :—

Calcutta Notes.				Ten-rupee Notes.	Twenty-rupee Notes.
				Value.	Value.
Circulation	March	31, 1882	.	93,21,610	67,62,620
"	July	31, 1882	.	89,60,120	64,23,260
"	August	31, 1882	.	97,62,440	35,81,840
"	September	30, 1882	.	1,02,04,330	28,48,640
"	October	31, 1882	.	1,14,41,510	25,54,680
"	March	31, 1883	.	1,34,19,310	17,61,400

50. The public very naturally connected the forgery with the remarks made in the last Currency Report, paras. 29 to 32, about some changes in our procedure with reference to small notes. This, however, was a mistake ; we had merely stopped a procedure, amply proved to be useless, in the examination of small notes against notices of stoppage ; but as forged notes are not under any notice of stoppage, they are unaffected by the change.

51. The forgery in this case has not yet been brought home to any one ; the difficulty in pursuing the investigations being due to the fact that the public rarely keep record of the numbers of small notes passing through their hands. We have, however, one consolation in the circumstance that the forgery can hardly have been successful as a paying speculation, as apparently only Rs200 or 300 in all have been put in circulation.

52. In Bombay, two more notes of the M—24 series of forgeries (one hundred rupees) came in : one, No. 67543 on 4th January 1883, and the other, No. 54367, on 19th March 1883. These notes are not good enough to deceive any ordinarily careful person. The forgers of them were convicted in 1877.

53. Another attempt at fraud is reported from Bombay,—namely, that of a man who, coming into possession of a mismatched note, divided the halves and claimed on each of them, on the allegation that he had possessed the entire notes and lost the other halves. The case is still with the Law Officers.

REMITTANCES OF SILVER.

54. The following is the detail of silver remittances :—

	R
Allahabad to Calcutta	63,73,450
Lahore to Bombay	80,00,000
Calicut to Madras	10,00,000
Kurrachee to Bombay	18,25,000
Bombay to Calcutta	1,00,00,000

It is always difficult to say how much of silver remittance is due to Currency

work proper (*i.e.*, to the fact of our accepting, either in Treasury or in Currency notes which are not legal tender at the place where received) and how much to Treasury.

55. Of the above remittances, the Allahabad and the Lahore ones were largely made in coin sent for re-mintage, but besides conveying that sum to the Calcutta and Bombay mints, they served to transfer silver from places where it was in excess to places where there was less than a proper proportion.

56. The Bombay to Calcutta remittances were made at the end of the year, and served to transfer to Calcutta some of that excess of silver received at Bombay from Europe in Banks' remittances, and paid over at once to Currency Department under the Bullion Clauses of the Act. Half the remittance was made by an operation through the Treasury, whereby we supplied the Burma trade with 50 lakhs shipped straight from Bombay, and thus abated a demand which otherwise would have fallen on the silver reserve of Calcutta. The other half was brought over by railway from Bombay to Calcutta.

57. The Lahore to Bombay remittance was made in the beginning of the year, before we had any knowledge of the circumstances that afterwards brought about an excess accumulation at Bombay.

TREASURY STATISTICS.

58. The transactions in notes at the several Treasuries in India during 1880-81, 1881-82, and 1882-83 have been as follows :—

	1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.
	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>
Receipts from the public in payment of Government dues.	7,96,68,115	8,00,32,905	7,07,94,540
Do. from the public in exchange for silver.	3,84,21,600	3,21,81,910	3,33,44,155
Do. from the public for other notes.	90,82,085	32,39,375	17,92,155
TOTAL RECEIPTS	12,71,71,800	11,54,54,190	10,59,30,850
Issues to the public in payment of Government dues.	4,01,75,835	3,31,34,065	3,25,26,280
Do. to the public in exchange for silver.	4,09,53,405	2,91,08,445	3,22,30,285
Do. to the public for other notes.	90,82,085	32,39,375	17,92,155
TOTAL ISSUES	9,02,11,325	6,54,81,885	6,65,48,720

59. The total transactions in notes during the last three years have been as follows (in lakhs of rupees) :—

	1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.
Government of India	263	172	256
Central Provinces	28	45	36
British Burmah	14	9	7
Assam	44	51	62
Bengal	426	484	536
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	297	173	160
Punjab	646	328	209
Madras	286	268	267
Bombay	150	258	174
Hyderabad	19	21	18
TOTAL	2,173	1,809	1,725

60. Statement IV classifies the Treasuries of the Government of India as follows:—

	1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.
Where notes were cashed throughout the year to the extent of the public demand	135	155	163
Where notes were ordinarily cashable, but not always	56	30	24
Where notes were not usually cashable	19	20	20
TOTAL	210	205	207

61. Statement V shows the proportion of Treasury and Bank balances which in each province was held in the form of currency notes. The state of the Reserve Treasuries greatly affects the comparisons in this statement.

Including Reserve Treasuries the proportions of balances held in notes are—

	1882.	1881.
Calcutta Circle	51	38
Bombay „	66	32
Madras „	57	27

But if Reserve Treasuries were omitted the figures would be—

	1882. BALANCE IN		1881. BALANCE IN		PROPORTION OF NOTES.	
	Notes.	Cash.	Notes.	Cash.	1882.	1881.
Calcutta Circle	38,68	96,34	24,76	107,26	29	19
Bombay „	10,27	90,32	10,04	62,08	10	14
Madras „	9,68	76,73	5,82	50,13	11	10

As the distribution of notes or coin in the Reserve Treasuries is quite arbitrary, they ought, I think, to be omitted in the statistics of Statement V.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

62. The receipts and expenditure of the Department is set forth in Statement III. They can at present be stated only as approximate figures. I have no correction to report in the figures given under this head in last year's report; that is, though they were then given as only approximate, they were quite correct.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

J. WESTLAND,

Head Commissioner, Paper Currency.

STATEMENTS.

No.

Statement of the Value of Government Currency Notes in

DATE.		CALCUTTA.		ALLAHABAD.	
		Value of Notes in circulation.	Monthly increase + or decrease —.	Value of Notes in circulation.	Monthly increase + or decrease —.
		R	R	R	R
March	1882	6,88,04,550	.....	86,57,430	.....
April	"	6,87,22,540	— 82,010	† 57,52,650	— 29,04,780
May	"	† 6,72,86,710	† 14,35,830	61,98,420	† 4,45,770
June	"	6,80,97,900	† 8,11,190	81,94,225	† 19,95,805
July	"	6,91,21,495	† 10,23,595	93,22,320	† 11,28,095
August	"	7,21,29,285	† 30,07,790	82,59,160	— 10,63,160
September	"	6,93,15,985	— 28,13,300	79,82,800	— 2,76,360
October	"	6,90,07,210	— 2,18,775	89,14,340	† 9,31,540
November	"	7,59,74,475	† 68,77,265	81,34,895	— 7,79,445
December	"	7,89,39,695	† 29,65,220	96,74,495	† 15,39,600
January	1883	7,48,75,005	— 40,64,690	* 1,03,88,740	† 7,14,245
February	"	7,01,00,950	— 47,74,055	99,95,495	— 3,93,245
March	"	7,51,09,095	† 50,08,145	81,72,210	— 18,23,285
TOTAL		85,87,70,345	.....	10,09,89,750	.....
1862-63		2,42,30,000	.....	.....	Average for each
1863-64		2,49,50,000	.....	.....	.....
1864-65		2,80,55,141	.....	11,39,468	.....
1865-66		2,90,43,282	.....	25,61,730	.....
1866-67		2,83,91,438	.....	25,93,184	.....
1867-68		2,93,11,382	.....	32,48,513	.....
1868-69		3,96,45,643	.....	33,74,186	.....
1869-70		4,14,57,428	.....	30,97,881	.....
1870-71		3,50,93,392	.....	41,34,122	.....
1871-72		4,30,33,469	.....	36,60,324	.....
1872-73		4,78,04,952	.....	52,18,260	.....
1873-74		4,70,20,742	.....	73,86,899	.....
1874-75		4,84,38,619	.....	62,57,664	.....
1875-76		4,93,96,846	.....	69,97,957	.....
1876-77		4,99,71,204	.....	72,07,479	.....
1877-78		6,13,25,010	.....	54,65,639	.....
1878-79		6,43,65,560	.....	63,73,527	.....
1879-80		6,26,55,985	.....	47,91,777	.....
1880-81		6,54,05,717	.....	53,48,142	.....
1881-82		6,43,82,370	.....	72,19,658	.....
1882-83		7,15,64,195	.....	84,15,813	.....
Increase (+) or decrease (—) in 1882-83, as compared with 1881-82		† 71,81,825	.....	† 11,96,155	.....
Percentage on average circulation, 1881-82		† 11'155	.....	† 16'568	.....
		MADRAS.		CALICUT.	
March	1882	1,48,10,605	.....	13,17,300	.....
April	"	1,54,73,420	+ 6,62,815	16,09,370	+ 2,92,070
May	"	* 1,50,43,185	+ 1,69,765	12,81,475	— 3,27,895
June	"	1,50,35,750	— 6,07,435	18,43,690	† 5,62,215
July	"	1,43,61,325	— 6,74,425	* 21,95,520	† 3,51,830
August	"	1,26,08,585	— 17,52,740	13,09,375	— 8,86,145
September	"	1,17,35,310	— 8,73,275	19,84,760	† 6,75,385
October	"	1,16,16,010	— 1,19,300	14,09,105	— 5,75,655
November	"	† 1,10,85,745	— 5,30,265	15,04,100	† 94,995
December	"	1,20,05,345	+ 9,79,600	8,81,925	— 6,22,175
January	1883	1,32,41,080	† 11,75,735	† 7,69,045	— 1,12,880
February	"	1,36,82,885	† 4,41,805	7,77,995	† 8,950
March	"	1,51,25,690	+ 14,42,805	8,68,070	† 90,075
TOTAL		16,16,74,330	.....	1,64,34,430	.....
1862-63		41,35,714	.....	.....	Average for each
1863-64		66,50,000	.....	.....	.....
1864-65		61,81,761	.....	61,755	.....
1865-66		63,07,003	.....	4,21,160	.....
1866-67		67,97,750	.....	5,54,549	.....
1867-68		62,19,398	.....	5,56,109	.....
1868-69		71,21,806	.....	8,16,466	.....
1869-70		73,46,017	.....	7,70,240	.....
1870-71		87,56,321	.....	8,63,419	.....
1871-72		1,10,63,042	.....	11,96,533	.....
1872-73		1,07,03,116	.....	18,10,467	.....
1873-74		1,22,14,342	.....	27,08,618	.....
1874-75		99,92,176	.....	21,48,859	.....
1875-76		1,28,83,331	.....	25,38,768	.....
1876-77		1,36,59,999	.....	20,86,198	.....
1877-78		1,67,54,482	.....	21,89,267	.....
1878-79		1,52,45,085	.....	17,66,917	.....
1879-80		1,29,92,638	.....	18,00,536	.....
1880-81		1,35,26,580	.....	14,78,377	.....
1881-82		1,34,77,339	.....	15,35,584	.....
1882-83		1,34,72,861	.....	13,69,536	.....
Increase (+) or decrease (—) in 1882-83, as compared with 1881-82		— 4,478	— 1,66,048
Percentage on average circulation, 1881-82		— '033	— 10'813

* Highest.

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circulation throughout India during 1882-83 and previous year.

LAHORE.		BOMBAY.		KURACHEE.	
Value of Notes in circulation.	Monthly increase + or decrease -.	Value of Notes in circulation.	Monthly increase + or decrease -.	Value of Notes in circulation.	Monthly increase + or decrease -.
R	R	R	R	R	R
73,95,105		3,50,13,580		30,73,210	
80,16,515	+	3,89,36,600	+	34,88,085	+
77,01,180	-	4,51,99,590	+	34,15,380	-
71,81,590	-	4,57,64,325	+	29,92,990	-
74,59,430	+	4,75,13,285	+	29,14,675	-
90,81,765	+	4,64,64,010	-	30,33,225	+
96,15,805	+	4,90,15,145	+	31,42,285	+
* 1,07,04,130	+	5,31,55,460	+	32,82,980	+
69,97,180	-	* 5,60,13,770	+	† 28,33,975	-
70,97,530	+	4,91,83,235	-	* 37,72,090	+
65,40,865	-	4,42,88,830	-	35,76,365	-
† 64,34,665	-	3,99,33,590	-	32,76,940	-
73,11,475	+	† 3,53,53,245	-	31,24,290	-
9,41,42,130	55,08,21,085	.....	3,88,53,280	.....
year from 1862-63.					
.....	1,58,28,571	.....	.....	.....
.....	2,07,25,000	.....	.....	.....
7,81,033	3,26,00,958	.....	.....	.....
29,51,182	3,50,64,905	.....	9,08,721	.....
25,00,558	4,80,41,935	.....	10,13,765	.....
24,05,652	4,95,18,959	.....	15,90,835	.....
25,81,546	4,59,48,670	.....	19,67,010	.....
22,52,897	4,92,93,254	.....	24,73,060	.....
26,74,301	4,43,51,094	.....	22,59,591	.....
52,34,625	4,77,36,435	.....	22,33,014	.....
47,59,328	5,03,13,434	.....	20,30,310	.....
47,77,161	3,56,37,322	.....	21,97,823	.....
53,43,460	3,27,94,374	.....	17,28,919	.....
66,21,276	3,33,00,831	.....	17,87,612	.....
62,40,332	3,54,10,793	.....	18,40,533	.....
54,79,648	3,90,98,730	.....	21,98,696	.....
48,60,418	3,67,78,984	.....	25,13,693	.....
65,49,450	3,65,20,379	.....	26,72,268	.....
92,54,536	3,81,54,498	.....	34,61,504	.....
81,32,364	3,69,68,543	.....	33,30,384	.....
78,45,178	4,59,01,757	.....	32,37,773	.....
- 2,87,186	† 89,33,214	.....	- 92,611	.....
- 3,531	† 24,164	.....	- 2,780	.....
TOTAL.					
13,90,71,780					
† 14,19,99,180	+	29,27,400			
14,67,25,940	+	47,26,760			
14,91,10,470	+	23,84,530			
15,28,88,050	+	37,77,580			
15,28,85,405	-	2,645			
15,27,92,090	-	93,315			
15,81,79,235	+	53,87,145			
16,25,44,140	+	43,64,905			
16,16,14,315	-	9,29,825			
15,36,79,930	-	79,34,385			
14,42,02,520	-	94,77,410			
14,59,04,075	+	8,61,555			
1,82,16,85,350					
year from 1862-63.					
4,41,94,285					
5,23,25,000					
6,88,20,116					
7,72,57,983					
8,98,93,179					
9,28,50,848					
10,14,55,327					
10,66,90,777					
9,81,32,240					
11,41,57,442					
12,86,40,367					
11,14,51,907					
10,67,04,071					
11,35,26,621					
11,64,16,538					
13,25,02,472					
13,19,05,064					
12,79,83,033					
13,66,29,354					
13,50,46,242					
15,18,07,113					
† 1,67,60,871					
† 12,411					

No.

Statement of Notes Issued,

CIRCLE.	Nature of work.	5 RUPEES.		10 RUPEES.		20 RUPEES.		50
		No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	
Calcutta	Notes issued	422,193	21,10,965	2,290,502	2,29,05,020	220,761	44,15,220	184,556
Allahabad	"	14,750	73,750	25,567	2,55,670	18,714	3,74,280	15,957
Lahore	"	16,958	84,790	50,778	5,07,780	39,913	7,98,260	28,024
Bombay	"	259,455	12,97,275	858,115	85,81,150	144,835	28,96,700	100,478
Kurrachee	"	4,115	20,575	21,821	2,18,210	10,228	2,04,560	4,391
Madras	"	75,312	3,76,500	152,585	15,25,850	95,422	19,08,440	67,208
Calicut	"	11,220	56,100	12,388	1,23,880	7,321	1,46,420	6,388
TOTAL	...	804,003	40,20,015	3,411,756	3,41,17,560	537,194	1,07,43,880	407,002
Percentage on total issues	{ ...	12.53	...	53.17	...	8.37	...	6.34
	{ ...	...	54	...	4.63	...	1.46	...
Calcutta	Notes received	423,623	21,18,115	1,880,733	1,88,07,330	470,824	94,16,480	174,203
Allahabad	"	11,601	58,005	22,275	2,22,750	18,340	3,66,800	14,507
Lahore	"	19,044	95,220	51,224	5,12,240	40,190	8,03,800	26,165
Bombay	"	249,352	12,46,760	829,042	82,90,420	138,294	27,65,880	96,678
Kurrachee	"	4,868	24,340	21,406	2,14,060	8,934	1,78,680	5,660
Madras	"	77,666	3,88,330	150,939	15,09,390	95,827	19,16,540	66,766
Calicut	"	11,889	59,445	13,971	1,39,710	8,102	1,62,040	7,290
TOTAL	...	798,043	39,99,215	2,969,590	2,96,95,900	780,511	1,56,10,220	391,269
Percentage on total receipts.	{ ...	12.95	...	48.18	...	12.66	...	6.35
	{ ...	...	56	...	4.05	...	2.13	...
Calcutta	Notes cancelled	303,807	15,19,035	1,217,403	1,21,74,030	376,717	75,34,340	116,552
Allahabad	"	10,106	50,530	19,255	1,92,550	16,556	3,31,120	13,876
Lahore	"	14,763	73,815	43,298	4,32,980	33,872	6,77,440	23,396
Bombay	"	181,324	9,06,620	513,992	51,39,920	91,890	18,37,800	62,452
Kurrachee	"	4,475	22,375	19,098	1,90,980	8,090	1,61,800	5,182
Madras	"	71,943	3,59,715	134,582	13,45,820	82,751	16,55,020	52,338
Calicut	"	11,063	55,315	12,972	1,29,720	7,322	1,46,440	6,087
TOTAL	...	597,481	29,87,405	1,960,600	1,96,06,000	617,198	1,23,43,960	2,79,883
Percentage on total cancella- tion.	{ ...	13.75	...	45.12	...	14.21	...	6.44
	{ ...	...	60	...	4.49	...	2.83	...
Percentage on total cancella- tion on receipts.	...	74.87	...	66.02	...	79.08	...	71.53

Abstract of all Circles

YEAR.	NOTES ISSUED.	
	No.	Value.
1861-62	3,67,200	4,20,00,000
1862-63	2,95,015	2,52,55,500
1863-64	3,36,201	4,72,01,000
1864-65	5,98,260	4,53,00,110
1865-66	9,60,150	10,10,04,920
1866-67	1,968,688	26,80,12,150
1867-68	2,790,745	33,06,49,710
1868-69	3,117,050	44,00,73,020
1869-70	3,396,828	49,34,48,480
1870-71	3,855,477	56,63,62,620
1871-72	4,045,118	62,25,21,200
1872-73	4,480,446	57,39,09,525
1873-74	4,915,365	61,69,24,575
1874-75	5,145,682	68,25,78,760
1875-76	5,325,790	62,69,70,815
1876-77	5,777,514	78,77,51,185
1877-78	6,251,704	99,52,50,980
1878-79	5,853,587	86,09,06,930
1879-80	6,252,415	81,51,93,855
1880-81	6,731,153	85,23,94,490
1881-82	6,066,875	71,68,22,915
1882-83	6,417,898	73,71,65,755

II.

Received, and Cancelled during 1882-83.

RUPEES.		100 RUPEES.		500 RUPEES.		1,000 RUPEES.		10,000 RUPEES.		TOTAL.	
Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.
92,27,800	391,898	3,91,89,800	84,341	4,21,70,500	168,912	16,89,12,000	6,937	6,93,70,000	3,770,100	35,83,01,305	3,770,100
7,97,850	22,701	22,70,100	9,794	48,97,000	10,495	1,04,95,000	1,053	1,05,30,000	119,031	2,96,93,650	119,031
14,01,200	31,759	31,75,900	11,873	59,36,500	15,503	1,55,03,000	469	46,90,000	195,337	3,21,57,430	195,337
50,23,900	187,755	1,87,75,500	13,321	66,60,500	58,603	5,86,03,000	13,410	13,41,00,000	1,035,972	23,59,38,025	1,035,972
2,19,550	6,689	6,68,900	1,212	6,06,000	4,163	41,63,000	26	2,60,000	52,645	63,60,795	52,645
33,60,400	159,396	1,59,39,600	26,669	1,33,34,500	16,502	1,65,02,000	1,285	1,28,50,000	594,379	6,57,97,350	594,379
3,19,400	11,129	11,12,900	765	3,82,500	606	6,06,000	617	61,70,000	50,434	89,17,200	50,434
2,03,50,100	811,327	8,11,32,700	147,975	7,39,87,500	274,844	27,48,44,000	23,797	23,79,70,000	6,417,898	73,71,65,755	6,417,898
...	12-64	...	2-30	...	4-28	...	37	...	100	...	100
2-78	...	11-01	...	10-04	...	37-28	...	32-28	...	...	...
87,10,150	370,025	3,70,02,500	84,482	4,22,41,000	166,453	16,64,53,000	6,669	6,66,90,000	3,577,012	35,14,38,575	3,577,012
7,25,350	21,489	21,48,900	8,020	40,10,000	14,285	1,42,85,000	903	90,30,000	111,420	3,08,46,805	111,420
13,08,250	29,420	29,42,000	12,887	64,43,500	16,119	1,61,19,000	504	50,40,000	195,553	3,32,64,010	195,553
48,33,900	177,346	1,77,34,600	12,934	64,67,000	58,358	5,83,58,000	13,490	13,49,00,000	1,575,494	23,45,96,560	1,575,494
2,83,000	7,506	7,50,600	1,389	6,94,500	4,024	40,24,000	29	2,90,000	53,816	64,59,180	53,816
33,38,300	158,361	1,58,36,100	27,389	1,36,94,500	16,448	1,64,48,000	1,241	1,24,10,000	594,637	6,55,41,160	594,637
3,64,500	13,060	13,06,000	827	4,13,500	603	6,03,000	643	64,30,000	56,385	94,78,195	56,385
1,95,63,450	777,207	7,77,20,700	147,928	7,39,64,000	276,290	27,62,90,000	23,479	23,47,90,000	6,164,317	73,16,24,485	6,164,317
...	12-60	...	2-40	...	4-48	...	38	...	100	...	100
2-68	...	10-62	...	10-10	...	37-77	...	32-09	...	...	...
58,27,600	266,077	2,66,07,700	59,032	2,95,16,000	117,723	11,77,23,000	2,532	2,53,20,000	2,459,843	22,62,21,705	2,459,843
6,93,800	20,267	20,26,700	7,198	35,99,000	12,131	1,21,31,000	625	62,50,000	100,014	2,52,74,700	100,014
11,69,800	27,930	27,93,000	12,577	62,88,000	14,152	1,41,52,000	347	34,70,000	170,335	2,90,57,535	170,335
31,22,600	111,703	1,11,70,300	9,825	49,12,500	32,443	3,24,43,000	3,182	3,18,20,000	1,006,811	9,13,52,740	1,006,811
2,59,100	6,602	6,60,200	1,313	6,56,500	2,884	28,84,000	...	2,00,000	47,664	50,34,955	47,664
26,16,900	136,428	1,36,42,800	21,193	1,05,96,500	10,390	1,03,90,000	1,008	1,00,80,000	510,633	5,06,86,755	510,633
3,04,350	10,836	10,83,600	497	2,48,500	266	2,66,000	614	61,40,000	49,657	83,73,925	49,657
1,39,94,150	579,843	5,79,84,300	111,655	5,58,17,500	189,989	18,99,89,000	8,328	8,32,80,000	4,344,957	43,60,02,315	4,344,957
...	13-35	...	2-57	...	4-37	...	19	...	100	...	100
3-21	...	13-30	...	12-80	...	43-58	...	19-10	...	...	...
...	74-60	...	75-47	...	68-76	...	35-47	...	70-48	59-59	...

from 1861-62 to 1882-83.

NOTES RECEIVED.		NOTES CANCELLED.	
No.	Value.	No.	Value.
2,000	10,00,000	...	...
82,820	1,49,55,500	52,520	1,10,05,500
2,48,582	4,17,01,000	240,478	3,74,51,000
2,53,708	3,37,69,900	214,290	3,15,66,660
8,54,111	9,98,39,180	386,174	3,90,71,620
1,917,381	25,36,97,220	831,631	7,50,95,040
2,424,319	30,72,64,270	998,679	10,85,26,500
2,936,353	44,69,90,180	1,553,433	14,25,85,600
3,333,591	48,70,24,340	1,906,794	22,30,04,250
3,728,082	56,66,28,810	2,005,842	24,79,56,750
3,813,861	60,48,10,940	1,894,516	25,64,60,160
4,194,129	59,96,88,825	2,150,039	25,00,27,590
4,620,018	62,64,55,900	2,565,890	26,20,42,890
4,762,530	63,66,57,570	3,094,083	28,68,65,125
5,269,541	62,17,81,655	3,500,318	29,62,56,840
5,702,046	77,87,26,475	3,661,384	37,89,18,425
6,120,202	96,25,97,735	4,399,755	45,50,76,735
6,036,955	90,75,19,920	4,115,911	42,84,16,310
6,067,688	80,79,23,265	3,889,150	35,31,49,630
6,625,315	84,04,84,390	4,172,534	38,61,13,350
5,954,017	71,06,97,175	3,855,555	37,95,01,280
6,164,317	73,16,24,485	4,344,957	43,60,02,315

No.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Department

	Calcutta.	Allahabad.
RECEIPTS.		
1882-83. Interest realized on Government Securities	R a. p. 12,99,594 0 0	R a. p. 1,11,108 0 0
SUNDRY CASH RECEIPTS.		
Miscellaneous	28 0 0	3 10 0
Premium realized on Bills	.....	.....
Value of unclaimed Currency Notes	.....	.....
TOTAL RECEIPTS DURING 1882-83	12,99,622 0 0	1,11,111 10 0
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Salaries	22,043 5 4	.....
Establishment	59,401 3 5	10,856 3 10
Temporary Establishment	8,199 13 9	745 0 0
Charges for Remittance	832 15 0	6,408 7 3
Stationary	2,248 0 0	11 15 0
Printing Charges	2,075 9 0	.....
Service Telegrams	294 8 0	7 1 0
Purchase of Service Stamps	393 15 0	290 12 0
House, Lighting, Police and Water-rate	4,500 0 0	.....
Cost of Note Forms	1,50,355 13 4	.....
One-third Freight on Europe Stores	.....	.....
Pensions and Gratuities	2,624 10 8	.....
Cost of Repairs and Currency Buildings	2,177 0 0	.....
Cost of Chests, Bags and Locks	14 3 6	187 8 0
Contingencies	5,200 15 11	581 12 1
Travelling Allowances	.....	.....
Dead Stock, Cost of Office Furniture	1,099 0 5	62 14 3
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS DURING 1882-83	2,61,461 7 4	19,251 9 5
PROFIT	10,38,160 8 8	91,860 0 7

ABS

	Calcutta.	Allahabad.
RECEIPTS.		
In 1861-62	R a. p.	R a. p.
" 1862-63	1,52,316 10 2	.....
" 1863-64	3,27,731 5 4	.....
" 1864-65	9,69,318 4 4	.....
" 1865-66	6,05,285 1 8	46,281 6 0
" 1866-67	6,91,286 13 6	49,784 0 0
" 1867-68	5,32,863 9 9	45,617 9 4
" 1868-69	5,81,265 0 9	49,442 8 3
" 1869-70	6,50,288 12 3	48,310 5 8
" 1870-71	5,36,277 7 6	62,787 2 7
" 1871-72	5,38,378 2 9	45,612 7 6
" 1872-73	8,91,423 8 3	96,879 10 9
" 1873-74	10,04,194 6 0	1,56,749 4 0
" 1874-75	11,87,241 11 6	89,036 0 0
" 1875-76	10,92,800 4 6	1,13,676 0 0
" 1876-77	10,74,581 8 0	1,09,322 0 0
" 1877-78	11,80,679 7 8	1,12,726 0 0
" 1878-79	12,35,775 6 10	85,487 2 0
" 1879-80	13,93,856 3 11	99,873 6 0
" 1880-81	12,55,051 0 0	89,304 0 0
" 1881-82	12,65,842 12 2	85,948 4 0
" 1882-83	12,99,622 0 0	1,11,111 10 0
TOTAL	1,84,66,079 8 10	14,97,849 0 1
DISBURSEMENTS.		
In 1861-62	2,639 2 7	.....
" 1862-63	3,06,205 8 3	.....
" 1863-64	1,40,049 4 11	.....
" 1864-65	34,145 8 6	20,329 12 2
" 1865-66	4,00,080 5 2	17,824 12 9
" 1866-67	5,27,735 4 11	13,488 3 2
" 1867-68	90,086 0 0	17,230 12 10
" 1868-69	5,71,781 12 9	14,792 14 4
" 1869-70	99,909 12 7	14,991 8 11
" 1870-71	1,30,679 3 7	15,505 1 4
" 1871-72	1,02,321 6 2	14,457 12 6
" 1872-73	1,27,751 14 3	20,576 5 10
" 1873-74	1,65,462 14 5	51,683 12 7
" 1874-75	1,36,395 6 10	21,920 7 4
" 1875-76	1,26,771 7 8	44,446 5 4
" 1876-77	1,47,884 0 11	19,322 1 0
" 1877-78	1,82,693 11 4	13,346 14 3
" 1878-79	2,38,041 12 0	16,616 9 5
" 1879-80	1,41,472 1 5	14,744 12 3
" 1880-81	1,21,867 0 0	14,910 0 0
" 1881-82	1,48,717 0 3	21,755 1 10
" 1882-83	2,61,461 7 4	19,251 9 5
TOTAL	42,04,152 1 10	3,87,194 13 3
PROFIT	1,42,61,927 7 0	11,10,654 2 10

III.

of Issue of Paper Currency for the year 1882-83.

Lahore.	Bombay.	Kurrachee.	Madras.	Calicut.	TOTAL.
R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
1,24,281 0 0	6,82,822 0 0	54,736 0 0	2,14,113 0 0	14,854 0 0	25,01,508 0 0
206 8 6	9 3 0	.....	247 6 10	.....	494 12 4
.....	.....	.....	187 8 0	.....	187 8 0
.....	.....	.....	375 0 0	.....	375 0 0
1,24,487 8 6	6,82,831 3 0	54,736 0 0	2,14,922 14 10	14,854 0 0	25,02,565 4 4
3,200 0 0	8,642 0 0	1,200 0 0	.....	1,200 0 0	36,285 5 4
9,020 10 8	49,289 8 11	4,228 11 10	17,782 15 9	3,252 0 0	1,53,831 6 5
.....	1,410 0 0	.....	.....	.....	10,354 13 9
.....	14,008 8 6	1,614 13 4	31 3 8	1,020 11 9	24,516 11 6
.....	691 3 9	.....	385 2 10	.....	3,336 11 7
392 6 0	980 1 11	.....	428 4 3	.....	3,876 5 2
110 10 0	392 3 0	68 2 0	65 8 0	89 6 0	1,027 6 0
200 0 0	460 8 0	65 0 0	164 13 0	80 6 0	1,655 6 0
83 6 1	66 1 0	.....	.....	.....	4,649 7 1
.....	.....	.....	9,388 10 0	661 11 4	1,60,406 2 8
.....	2 0 0	.....	.....	.....	2 0 0
.....	1,030 6 11	.....	1,081 13 0	.....	4,736 14 7
151 7 1	2,564 14 9	.....	263 8 0	.....	5,156 13 10
.....	.....	.....	415 2 4	.....	616 13 10
773 1 11	3,019 12 2	342 8 0	1,501 7 3	80 6 2	11,599 15 6
.....	158 4 0	.....	248 2 4	67 0 8	473 7 0
701 4 11	126 0 0	34 0 0	755 11 6	.....	2,778 15 1
14,632 14 8	83,441 8 11	7,553 3 2	32,512 5 11	6,451 9 11	4,25,304 11 4
1,09,854 9 10	5,99,389 10 1	47,182 12 10	1,82,410 8 11	8,402 6 1	20,77,260 9 0

TRACT.

Lahore.	BOMBAY.	Kurrachee.	MADRAS.	Calicut.	TOTAL.
R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,52,316 10 2
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,27,731 5 4
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,54,979 0 8
.....	5,11,746 13 6	.....	1,73,913 14 10	.....	16,78,391 10 6
31,484 2 0	8,19,518 4 3	4,637 7 9	1,07,917 2 10	3,268 2 0	16,62,849 10 11
31,517 0 0	7,43,596 2 1	23,870 0 0	1,18,395 11 4	4,400 0 0	13,45,815 4 8
28,944 4 9	5,92,489 15 5	20,677 12 5	1,21,084 15 9	4,137 1 3	14,86,972 11 8
37,827 13 5	6,73,293 8 10	28,822 15 1	1,04,357 0 5	11,963 12 11	16,67,871 9 0
35,133 4 11	7,69,001 5 11	38,566 11 1	1,14,559 2 3	12,011 10 11	14,93,867 10 9
40,616 1 1	6,73,769 3 4	34,317 10 3	1,32,986 14 7	13,113 3 5	14,25,995 7 11
65,087 5 3	5,93,668 4 7	27,765 4 9	1,40,676 4 1	14,877 11 0	23,92,227 6 4
88,368 10 6	10,45,520 1 7	37,693 12 6	1,98,729 6 9	33,612 4 0	23,71,584 0 6
1,01,370 14 0	7,56,230 12 9	46,985 0 3	2,59,187 1 3	46,866 10 3	23,69,994 8 1
1,10,593 7 3	6,77,999 6 4	35,660 12 0	2,19,693 3 0	49,770 0 0	23,67,517 14 5
1,28,291 10 9	6,87,503 6 6	36,340 0 0	2,53,336 8 8	55,570 0 0	23,68,799 4 8
1,34,781 10 0	7,01,084 13 8	40,050 1 6	2,69,536 3 6	39,443 0 0	24,49,647 12 3
1,11,997 10 9	6,59,869 12 10	35,533 13 0	3,10,976 0 0	37,865 0 0	23,95,495 12 2
94,621 11 0	6,52,369 0 4	47,607 0 0	2,51,697 8 0	27,938 0 0	27,96,825 10 1
1,31,198 12 3	7,72,780 3 3	54,105 0 0	3,09,420 0 8	35,592 0 0	25,14,818 0 0
1,69,020 0 0	6,96,539 0 0	62,088 0 0	2,20,031 0 0	22,785 0 0	25,02,999 15 0
1,55,632 3 6	6,64,791 11 11	60,126 0 0	2,46,642 15 5	24,016 0 0	25,02,565 4 4
1,24,487 8 6	6,82,831 3 0	54,736 0 0	2,14,922 14 10	14,854 0 0	.....
16,20,974 1 11	1,33,74,603 2 1	6,89,583 4 7	38,28,064 0 2	4,52,083 7 9	3,99,29,236 9 5
.....	2,494 10 0	.....	751 9 3	.....	5,885 5 10
.....	1,73,996 6 6	.....	50,610 10 1	.....	5,30,812 8 10
.....	1,66,720 11 11	.....	58,638 9 6	.....	3,65,468 10 4
17,539 13 0	2,61,955 7 8	.....	59,511 2 3	3,112 11 4	3,96,594 6 11
21,500 13 3	3,06,084 4 8	9,596 11 8	79,872 13 10	11,132 8 5	8,45,092 5 9
16,999 6 3	3,58,829 8 3	8,632 0 0	61,950 15 6	4,667 12 8	9,92,303 2 9
20,862 13 7	1,29,160 8 5	10,509 12 11	36,798 8 6	4,657 14 4	3,09,306 6 7
15,285 6 4	1,12,952 8 4	10,517 15 3	30,912 2 6	4,695 15 6	7,60,938 11 0
16,687 14 6	1,12,816 11 10	7,711 15 0	33,335 4 5	4,407 0 1	2,89,860 3 4
13,726 6 9	1,21,404 7 7	5,922 4 1	44,446 15 1	4,546 11 2	3,36,231 1 7
19,870 1 1	1,02,736 7 5	6,038 0 2	34,553 0 1	5,417 14 0	2,85,394 9 5
11,243 6 6	99,551 13 8	7,225 11 5	39,798 3 9	7,367 15 0	3,13,515 6 5
14,189 4 7	1,54,282 3 4	9,157 11 10	45,101 5 3	6,098 14 0	4,55,976 2 0
22,072 3 8	1,50,860 9 2	6,097 0 2	43,460 9 0	9,037 5 6	3,89,843 9 8
13,937 10 8	1,02,627 5 0	6,670 11 3	35,306 1 0	5,568 2 3	3,35,327 11 2
10,443 14 9	86,264 8 2	7,635 7 6	35,215 10 6	6,891 3 11	3,13,656 14 9
18,443 5 1	2,23,222 6 1	7,100 7 0	33,239 12 8	6,944 7 0	4,84,992 15 5
14,376 5 0	1,92,575 6 9	8,534 5 8	41,871 7 1	6,894 5 5	5,18,010 3 4
15,044 15 6	1,00,247 4 8	7,456 6 8	39,214 6 8	5,621 13 11	3,23,801 13 1
14,851 0 0	82,161 0 0	5,716 0 0	33,697 0 0	4,934 0 0	2,78,136 0 0
17,482 14 9	78,796 0 4	7,703 4 4	42,480 1 4	7,828 4 1	3,24,762 10 11
14,632 14 8	83,441 8 11	7,553 3 2	32,512 5 11	6,451 9 11	4,25,304 11 4
3,09,192 9 11	32,13,181 14 8	1,39,779 0 1	9,12,278 10 2	1,16,276 8 6	92,82,055 10 5
13,11,781 8 0	1,01,61,421 3 5	5,49,804 4 6	29,15,785 6 0	3,35,806 15 3	3,06,47,180 15 0

No. IV.

Classification of Treasuries according to encashment of Notes.

A.—Treasuries which were able throughout the year to cash Notes at all times to the extent of the public demand on them.	B.—Treasuries ordinarily able to cash Notes on presentation.	C.—Treasuries at which this accommodation could not usually be given.	A.	B.	C.
INDIA.					
Ajmere. Coorg. Gwalior. Indore. Sambhar.	Beluchistan. Bhopal. Nowgong (Bundelkhand).	Katmandoo.	5	3	1
CENTRAL PROVINCES.					
Balughat. Betul. Bhandara. Bilaspur. Chanda. Damoh. Hoshangabad. Jubbulpore. Mandla. Nursinghpur. Sambulpur.	Chhindwara. Nimar. Raipur. Saugor. Seoni. Wardha.		11	6	0
BRITISH BURMA.					
Kyouk Phyoo. Sandoway. Bassein. Tharrawaddy. Henzada. Prome. Mergui. Tavoy.	Maoobeng. Thayetmyo. Shoagyee. Tounghoo.		8	4	0
ASSAM.					
<i>Nil.</i>	<i>Nil.</i>	Cachar. Darrang. Garo Hills. Goalpara. Kamrup. Khasi Hills. Lakhimpur. Manipur. Naga Hills. Nowgong. Sibsagor. Sylhet.	0	0	12
BENGAL.					
Burdwan. Bankura. Beerbhoom. Midnapur. Hooghly. 24-Parganas. Nuddea. Jessore. Moorshedabad. Dinagepur. Rajshahi. Rungpur. Bogra.	Manbhoom. Maldah.	Darjeeling.	13	2	1
Carried over.			24	13	13

No. IV—continued.

Classification of Treasuries according to encashment of Notes—continued.

A.—Treasuries which were able throughout the year to cash Notes at all times to the extent of the public demand on them.	B.—Treasuries ordinarily able to cash Notes on presentation.	C.—Treasuries at which this accommodation could not usually be given.	A.	B.	C.
Brought forward			24	13	13
BENGAL—continued.					
Brought forward			13	2	1
Pubna.					
Jalpaiguri.					
Dacca.					
Furreedpore.					
Bakargunge.					
Mymensing.					
Tippara.					
Chittagong.					
Noakhalli.					
Patna.					
Gya.					
Shahabad.					
Mozufferpore.					
Durbhunga.					
Sarun.					
Champaran.					
Monghyr.					
Bhagalpore.					
Purnea.					
Nya Doomka.					
Pooree.					
Balasore.					
Hazaribagh.					
Lohardugga.					
Singhbhoom.					
Cuttack.			39	2	1
N.-W. PROVINCES AND OUDH.					
Aligarh.	Bulandshahar.	Dehra Dun.			
Azamgarh.	Busti.	Kumaun.			
Barcilly.	Etawah.				
Banda.	Hurdoi.				
Baraich.	Muzaffarnuggar.				
Bara Banki.	Mirzapore.				
Bijnor.	Sitapur.				
Budaon.	Unao.				
Etah.					
Farukhabad.					
Fatehpur.					
Fyzabad.					
Ghazipur.					
Gorakpur.					
Gonda.					
Hamirpur.					
Jhansi.					
Jalaun.					
Jaunpur.					
Kheri.					
Lalitpur.					
Meerut.					
Moradabad.					
Mainpuri.					
Muthra.					
Pilibhit.					
Partabgarh.					
Rae Bareli.					
Roorkee.					
Saharanpur.					
Shahjehanpur.					
Sultanpur.					
			32	8	2
Carried over			95	23	16

No. IV—continued.

Classification of Treasuries according to encashment of Notes—continued.

A.—Treasuries which were able throughout the year to cash Notes at all times to the extent of the public demand on them.	B.—Treasuries ordinarily able to cash Notes on presentation.	C.—Treasuries at which this accommodation could not usually be given.	A.	B.	C.
PUNJAB.					
		Brought forward	95	23	16
Amritsar.	Nil.	Nil.			
Bannu.					
Dera Ghazi Khan.					
Dera Ismail Khan.					
Ferozepore.					
Gujranwalla.					
Gujrat.					
Gurdaspur.					
Gurgaon.					
Hissar.					
Hoshiarpur.					
Hazara.					
Jhang.					
Jhelam.					
Jullundur.					
Kangra.					
Kohat.					
Karnal.					
Ludhiana.					
Mooltan.					
Montgomery.					
Muzaffargarh.					
Peshawar.					
Rawalpindi.					
Rohtak.					
Sirsa.					
Sealkote.					
Shapur.					
Simla.					
Umballa.			30	0	0
MADRAS.					
Vizagapatam.	South Arcot.	Bangalore.			
Kistna.					
Nellore.					
Kurnool.					
Anantapur.					
Cuddapah.					
Chingleput.					
North Arcot.					
Salem.					
Trichinopoly.					
Tanjore.					
Madura.					
Tinnevely.					
Coimbatore.					
Travancore.			15	1	1
BOMBAY.					
Ahmednagar.		Dharwar.			
Belgaum.		Kaladgi.			
Colaba.		Kutch.			
Hyderabad.					
Kaira.					
Kanara.					
Khandesh.					
Nasik.					
Ratnagiri.			9	0	3
		Carried over	140	24	17

No. IV—concluded.

Classification of Treasuries according to encashment of Notes—concluded.

A.—Treasuries which were able throughout the year to cash Notes at all times to the extent of the public demand on them.	B.—Treasuries ordinarily able to cash Notes on presentation.	C.—Treasuries at which this accommodation could not usually be given.	A.	B.	C.
Brought forward			140	24	17
BOMBAY—concluded.					
Brought forward			9	0	3
Satara.					
Shikarpur.					
Sholapur.					
Surat.					
Thana.					
Kathiawar.					
Aden.					
Baroda.			17	0	3
HYDERABAD.					
Akola.					
Amraoti.					
Bassim.					
Buldana.					
Ellichpur.					
Wun.			6	0	0
TOTAL			163	24	20
TOTAL OF A. B. C.				207	

Statistics of Treasury and other Balances on 31st December 1882.

	DENOMINATION OF NOTES.									TOTAL.		TOTAL.	PERCENTAGE OF NOTES.	
	Rs.	R10.	R20.	R50.	R100.	R500.	R1,000.	R10,000.	Foreign Circle Notes.	Notes.	Cash.		Dec. 31, 1882.	Dec. 31, 1881.
Treasuries and Branch Banks.														
Calcutta Circle	51,445	2,55,720	2,09,040	2,85,350	12,22,200	4,97,000	12,88,000	2,40,60,000	65,155	2,79,33,910	2,65,97,165	5,45,31,075	51	38
Allahabad "	28,330	42,860	69,300	1,20,850	1,52,000	1,56,000	94,000	...	12,67,680	19,31,020	1,74,53,378	1,93,84,398	10	9
Lahore "	19,115	51,940	91,580	93,100	1,42,100	2,13,500	8,74,000	30,000	2,66,760	17,82,095	76,75,679	94,57,774	19	10
Bombay "	16,355	1,12,130	74,880	1,32,250	2,57,700	1,18,000	2,98,000	1,68,70,000	19,705	1,78,99,000	90,31,613	2,69,30,613	66	32
Akola "	4,830	29,030	22,840	14,750	56,700	9,500	15,000	...	7,430	1,16,080	23,33,219	24,93,299	6	25
Nagpur "	3,155	11,090	14,240	36,300	68,600	16,500	56,000	...	25,705	2,31,590	50,61,186	52,92,776	4	9
Kurrachee "	13,680	32,650	35,060	45,950	98,300	1,10,500	14,86,000	10,000	18,300	18,50,440	13,78,786	32,29,226	57	27
Madras "	23,995	62,640	68,820	93,750	3,36,200	1,10,000	75,000	3,10,050	2,28,735	13,09,140	82,14,823	95,13,963	14	33
Calicut "	8,300	11,100	15,260	27,050	60,300	19,500	18,000	...	2,42,840	4,02,360	12,50,412	16,52,772	24	10
Central India . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,21,210	6,21,210	62,61,101	68,82,311	9	16
British Burma	6,480	6,900	4,660	1,650	9,400	8,500	11,000	...	...	48,590	56,05,698	56,54,288	8	2
	1,75,665	6,16,070	6,05,680	8,51,000	24,03,500	12,59,000	42,15,000	4,12,80,000	27,63,520	5,41,69,435	9,08,53,060	14,50,22,495	37	23
(Presidency Banks Head Offices.)														
Bank of Bengal	15,345	1,49,600	34,140	1,24,550	3,52,300	4,55,000	12,69,000	3,00,000	42,28,715	69,28,650	10,54,000	79,82,650	87	87
Do. of Bombay	22,515	87,410	53,400	1,59,200	5,24,700	1,26,000	7,62,000	4,50,000	2,460	21,87,685	36,93,171	58,80,856	37	66
Do. of Madras	4,615	23,140	14,400	33,900	1,34,500	60,500	1,15,000	...	1,00,000	4,86,055	17,48,181	22,34,236	22	76
	42,475	2,60,150	1,01,940	3,17,650	10,11,500	6,41,500	21,46,000	7,50,000	43,31,175	96,02,390	64,95,352	1,60,97,742	59	76

No. VI.

Issues and Receipts of Home Notes at each Circle.

	CIRCLES.							TOTAL.
	Calcutta.	Allahabad.	Lahore.	Bombay.	Kurrachee.	Madras.	Calicut.	
Circulation on 1st April 1882	6,91,24,655	99,14,080	93,42,575	3,59,26,380	33,83,605	1,51,40,825	14,76,295	14,43,68,415
ISSUES.								
Over the Counter	35,75,26,005	2,95,96,650	2,30,13,430	22,43,76,835	57,88,795	6,47,21,360	89,17,200	71,39,40,275
At Agencies	7,75,300	97,000	91,44,000	14,07,650	...	7,75,990	...	1,21,99,940
In Remittance transactions	...	...	...	1,01,53,540	5,72,000	3,00,000	...	1,10,25,540
TOTAL ISSUES	35,83,01,305	2,96,93,650	3,21,57,430	23,59,38,025	63,60,795	6,57,97,350	89,17,200	73,71,65,755
TOTAL OF BALANCE AND ISSUES	42,74,25,960	3,96,07,730	4,15,00,005	27,18,64,405	97,44,400	8,09,38,175	1,03,93,495	88,14,74,170
RECEIPTS.								
Over the Counter	31,91,32,165	84,46,280	77,79,340	14,87,25,115	25,12,890	5,73,97,955	17,46,260	54,57,40,005
At Agencies	7,85,300	55,000	3,73,000	11,03,500	...	5,06,000	...	28,22,800
From other Currency Circles	71,01,690	2,23,45,525	2,51,11,670	3,27,77,320	39,46,290	63,87,205	77,31,935	10,54,01,635
In Remittance transactions	2,44,19,420	...	...	5,19,90,625	...	12,50,000	...	7,76,60,045
TOTAL RECEIPTS	35,14,38,575	3,08,46,805	3,32,64,010	23,45,96,560	64,59,180	6,55,41,160	94,78,195	73,16,24,485
BALANCE IN CIRCULATION ON 31st MARCH 1883	7,59,87,385	87,60,925	82,35,995	3,72,67,845	32,85,220	1,53,97,015	9,15,300	14,98,49,685

No. VII.

Issues and Receipts of Coin at each Circle.

	CIRCLES.							
	Calcutta.	Allahabad.	Lahore.	Bombay.	Kurrachee.	Madras.	Calcut.	TOTAL.
	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
Balance on April 1882	1,54,34,998 2 7	1,24,39,855 0 0	1,61,70,955 0 0	1,23,37,257 4 1	37,22,285 0 0	82,84,105 0 0	10,17,095 0 0	6,94,06,550 6 8
Receipts—Over the Counter	2,77,53,125 0 0	94,24,595 0 0	1,95,29,740 0 0	6,98,29,475 0 0	36,93,740 0 0	92,36,900 0 0	51,19,175 0 0	14,45,86,750 0 0
" From Small Coin Account . . . . .	...	...	...	7,80,000 0 0	34,235 0 0	2,60,000 0 0	...	10,74,235 0 0
" At Agencies	6,14,400 0 0	97,000 0 0	1,50,94,000 0 0	10,69,150 0 0	...	4,99,990 0 0	...	1,73,74,540 0 0
" In Remittance transactions	2,46,75,000 0 0	...	1,18,66,000 0 0	98,28,960 0 0	...	12,07,280 0 0	...	4,75,77,240 0 0
" For Mint Certificates	942 3 4	...	...	598 9 4	...	...	...	1,540 12 8
" By sale of Securities . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL RECEIPTS	5,30,43,467 3 4	95,21,595 0 0	4,64,89,740 0 0	8,15,08,183 9 4	37,27,975 0 0	1,12,04,170 0 0	51,19,175 0 0	21,06,14,305 12 8
TOTAL OF BALANCE AND RECEIPTS	6,84,78,465 5 11	2,19,61,450 0 0	6,26,60,695 0 0	9,38,45,440 13 5	74,50,260 0 0	1,94,88,275 0 0	61,36,270 0 0	28,00,20,856 3 4
Issues—Over the Counter	5,56,42,680 0 0	69,44,910 0 0	95,52,595 0 0	4,62,41,120 0 0	6,68,770 0 0	1,01,77,385 0 0	12,30,970 0 0	13,04,58,430 0 0
" At Agencies	6,24,400 0 0	55,000 0 0	1,58,89,000 0 0	17,65,000 0 0	...	2,80,000 0 0	...	1,86,13,400 0 0
" In Remittance transactions . . . . .	...	50,25,000 0 0	2,48,00,000 0 0	1,00,00,000 0 0	38,25,000 0 0	2,07,280 0 0	45,90,000 0 0	4,84,47,280 0 0
" For bullion delivered and for melting fees	9,709 10 4	...	...	1,04,918 6 2	...	...	...	1,14,628 0 6
" To Small Coin Account . . . . .	...	...	...	10,56,000 0 0	1,635 0 0	30,000 0 0	...	10,87,635 0 0
" In purchase of Securities . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ISSUES	5,62,76,789 10 4	1,20,24,910 0 0	5,02,41,595 0 0	5,91,67,038 6 2	44,95,405 0 0	1,06,94,665 0 0	58,20,970 0 0	19,87,21,373 0 6
Balance of Coin, March 31st, 1883	1,22,01,675 11 7	99,36,540 0 0	1,24,19,100 0 0	3,46,78,402 7 3	29,54,855 0 0	87,93,610 0 0	3,15,300 0 0	8,12,99,483 2 10

No. VIII.

Value of Currency Notes in Circulation on the last day of each month. (In Lakhs of Rupees.)

	1862-63.	1863-64.	1864-65.	1865-66.	1866-67.	1867-68.	1868-69.	1869-70.	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1882-83.
April	4.10	5.13	5.68	7.48	7.02	7.84	8.92	9.80	9.65	10.13	13.34	11.01	9.27	10.75	10.73	11.13	13.30	11.27	12.89	12.86	14.20
May	4.13	5.01	6.04	7.46	7.87	8.19	10.04	10.38	8.68	10.49	13.49	11.21	9.96	11.06	10.70	11.55	13.09	11.17	13.10	13.01	14.67
June	4.21	5.09	5.99	8.34	8.60	8.53	10.04	10.80	8.70	10.83	13.51	11.83	10.16	11.29	11.59	12.67	13.87	11.82	13.64	13.72	14.91
July	4.26	5.11	6.31	8.58	8.67	8.72	10.06	10.53	9.12	10.72	13.47	11.95	10.73	11.18	11.54	12.85	14.07	12.24	13.91	14.04	15.29
August	4.28	5.16	6.37	8.69	8.48	9.39	10.13	10.21	9.45	11.29	13.22	12.05	10.87	11.19	11.91	12.15	14.27	12.74	13.75	14.22	15.29
September	4.29	5.26	6.48	8.87	9.28	9.53	10.41	10.18	10.07	11.32	13.35	12.09	10.60	11.77	11.75	12.39	14.06	13.33	13.47	13.55	15.28
October	4.58	5.63	7.09	7.84	10.16	9.96	10.61	10.76	10.19	11.31	13.00	12.06	10.88	12.04	11.45	13.19	13.70	13.58	13.55	13.39	15.82
November	4.49	5.16	7.13	7.83	10.10	10.21	10.41	11.33	10.27	11.09	13.30	11.73	11.02	11.69	11.93	14.74	13.46	13.75	14.59	13.07	16.25
December	4.52	5.11	7.48	7.40	9.96	10.32	10.30	11.31	10.35	10.87	12.88	10.91	11.08	11.22	11.97	15.05	12.69	13.80	14.38	13.15	16.16
January	4.56	5.15	7.39	6.91	8.68	10.11	10.20	11.42	10.76	13.08	12.16	9.98	11.10	11.77	12.44	15.64	12.15	14.23	14.12	13.39	15.37
February	4.71	5.08	7.40	6.87	8.87	9.56	10.68	10.82	10.07	12.69	11.52	9.69	11.13	11.28	12.07	14.07	12.20	13.28	13.25	13.74	14.42
March	4.93	5.35	7.43	6.90	8.09	9.07	9.96	10.47	10.44	13.17	11.14	9.25	11.24	11.00	11.62	13.57	11.42	12.36	13.40	13.91	14.51
Average	4.42	5.19	6.73	7.76	8.82	9.28	10.15	10.67	9.81	11.42	12.86	11.15	10.67	11.35	11.64	13.25	13.19	12.80	13.66	13.50	15.18
Net Imports of Silver . . .	12.55	12.80	10.08	18.67	6.96	5.59	8.60	7.32	94	6.52	71	2.49	4.64	1.55	7.20	14.68	3.97	7.87	3.89	5.38	...
Net Amount borrowed in India . . .	...	—34	—2	—99	60	79	—35	2.18	1.22	1.16	—1.51	—4	3.43	2.92	—85	3.03	3.88	4.03	3.09	2.79	...
Currency Investment on 31st March	67	2.49	3.57	3.98	3.25	3.25	3.91	3.60	3.23	5.91	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.69	6.00	5.69	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
Profits of Paper Currency Department	—4	...	13	8	7	10	7	14	12	11	21	19	20	20	21	20	19	25	23	22	...

No. IX.

Currency Notes in Circulation in India, in Lakhs and Thousands of Rupees.

LAST DAY of	Calcutta.	Allaha- bad.	Lahore.	Bombay.	Akola.	Nagpur.	Kur- rahee.	Madras.	Calicut.	Vizaga- patam.	Trichi- nopoly.	TOTAL.
1871.												
January	391'50	65'76	36'36	391'84	25'65	32'80	24'96	89'43	9'73	3'44	4'03	1075'53
February	335'21	54'96	45'07	408'40	21'48	24'20	24'14	74'77	10'81	3'39	4'84	1007'33
March	354'30	54'38	44'80	431'94	18'73	26'53	23'20	72'77	9'83	3'73	3'48	1043'72
April	354'85	55'86	57'32	383'79	19'47	20'48	22'48	80'08	11'08	3'91	3'71	1013'06
May	364'55	33'49	40'28	385'97	37'89	29'03	21'68	118'94	11'06	3'03	3'50	1049'46
June	394'17	32'82	49'90	390'50	36'45	32'94	16'50	111'89	11'89	2'61	3'22	1082'95
July	393'42	34'48	39'25	374'12	46'75	34'23	22'28	110'98	10'57	3'10	2'90	1072'14
August	425'53	35'57	44'12	397'15	42'63	34'68	18'82	115'85	10'20	3'51	1'15	1129'25
September	418'81	31'00	46'93	404'11	41'75	41'02	20'64	110'41	10'97	3'05	3'01	1131'75
October	429'93	33'74	42'00	380'13	52'55	43'69	21'10	107'31	12'31	3'75	4'14	1130'71
November	417'78	33'60	48'84	369'88	47'76	41'69	24'27	104'41	12'58	3'82	4'09	1108'77
December	412'32	34'39	55'59	372'65	41'21	36'22	17'20	98'37	11'46	3'10	4'35	1086'90
1872.												
January	510'74	36'59	69'33	498'35	10'99	15'43	44'94	100'15	12'25	3'66	5'62	1308'11
February	512'58	38'31	64'76	487'59	7'04	15'89	20'63	99'45	13'62	3'39	5'64	1268'96
March	529'28	39'33	69'77	529'99	7'52	16'67	17'38	82'46	15'53	3'42	5'40	1316'79
April	520'70	33'29	55'62	568'93	12'75	16'62	16'98	84'15	16'80	3'35	4'28	1333'52
May	511'56	30'99	50'70	583'94	13'20	25'79	16'19	89'56	17'90	4'62	4'74	1349'23
June	512'37	31'45	48'09	563'70	20'08	34'65	16'69	98'00	15'68	4'66	5'39	1350'80
July	501'43	38'95	43'86	572'19	20'56	28'67	14'76	100'28	16'23	4'48	5'74	1347'21
August	473'58	42'55	50'39	554'74	21'44	30'38	20'61	100'99	16'58	5'00	6'04	1322'36
September	483'33	47'71	55'70	543'28	21'73	32'69	19'57	100'97	19'19	6'57	4'53	1335'31
October	491'36	53'24	47'40	485'48	22'37	42'12	27'66	99'67	20'63	5'40	4'42	1299'80
November	471'59	61'19	49'18	529'08	19'27	44'96	26'23	105'20	19'36	3'76	...	1329'86
December	444'51	68'26	43'59	519'88	19'29	43'70	20'38	106'60	19'96	4'34	...	1287'55
1873.												
January	450'53	70'71	43'92	468'89	5'53	35'13	17'59	100'59	18'60	4'07	...	1215'61
February	433'16	60'43	45'64	432'48	5'99	25'27	23'15	104'14	17'69	4'04	...	1152'03
March	445'41	87'38	37'03	368'22	4'49	19'96	23'78	103'37	18'58	5'24	...	1113'50
April	446'47	58'63	34'06	354'93	21'80	21'54	31'17	105'94	20'17	5'91	...	1100'66
May	454'59	60'51	51'23	349'10	22'78	19'57	29'70	103'16	23'21	6'67	...	1120'56
June	458'56	89'83	56'43	326'15	27'11	31'41	29'64	136'53	19'92	7'31	...	1182'93
July	457'93	83'16	58'46	316'29	37'44	41'28	21'52	151'27	20'60	7'08	...	1195'08
August	469'20	75'93	57'71	336'56	29'17	41'62	19'19	146'92	20'78	7'79	...	1204'02
September	486'53	74'99	54'23	341'70	31'53	38'67	19'51	130'87	21'68	8'92	...	1208'67
October	490'06	92'85	48'35	328'00	36'09	44'25	23'95	113'54	22'10	6'39	...	1205'63
November	495'31	87'32	45'63	305'01	32'35	45'38	26'91	100'39	27'13	7'78	...	1173'25
December	472'28	96'64	43'41	261'91	29'58	29'95	18'98	105'13	25'11	8'03	...	1091'07
1874.												
January	461'46	80'01	42'46	237'33	5'16	24'96	16'51	100'11	22'90	6'94	...	997'88
February	469'07	43'75	41'43	228'64	11'51	32'88	13'93	98'64	21'89	6'76	...	968'55
March	482'06	42'75	39'81	217'61	5'86	11'17	12'67	85'71	19'48	7'81	...	924'97
April	467'11	34'00	42'20	244'95	5'42	8'43	14'29	75'94	19'73	15'30	...	927'43
May	465'25	38'05	43'20	305'08	5'56	9'64	13'58	77'46	21'91	16'64	...	996'43
June	474'52	38'05	46'86	303'15	8'01	11'95	19'72	79'77	19'00	14'42	...	1015'49
July	538'74	43'71	46'58	294'71	6'72	15'57	17'42	77'71	19'27	12'91	...	1073'38
August	487'40	68'53	54'74	315'95	6'90	17'14	17'46	87'39	19'16	12'74	...	1087'45
September	451'82	71'29	56'34	319'65	8'45	16'56	17'60	86'36	20'09	11'76	...	1059'98
October	452'05	85'43	54'20	319'37	16'48	18'72	20'68	86'71	22'50	12'07	...	1088'26
November	460'83	80'23	59'17	329'13	17'10	15'07	17'23	91'68	23'56	7'87	...	1101'90
December	474'84	82'22	57'52	321'89	15'77	11'05	19'27	93'40	22'47	9'64	...	1108'12
1875.												
January	515'76	80'88	59'90	293'87	7'44	9'37	16'72	92'71	21'93	11'06	...	1109'69
February	505'51	67'84	59'29	304'31	5'80	19'84	16'70	95'94	22'73	14'65	...	1112'67
March	518'75	60'63	61'16	307'33	7'30	11'47	16'73	94'96	25'43	19'85	...	1123'64
April	484'64	49'01	57'79	290'27	13'18	10'65	20'12	100'39	25'52	23'82	...	1075'44
May	481'44	56'06	61'80	308'91	6'72	15'52	18'23	104'78	25'76	26'53	...	1105'79
June	488'88	64'26	58'01	309'15	12'31	16'70	17'78	107'57	25'16	28'62	...	1128'51
July	476'19	70'69	64'85	294'26	14'44	17'72	18'19	109'11	24'23	28'26	...	1117'99
August	488'57	70'70	71'11	279'20	14'03	24'73	17'10	100'07	25'44	28'21	...	1119'21
September	511'88	71'73	87'04	302'15	13'74	25'27	15'67	98'91	25'84	24'49	...	1176'76
October	510'63	81'36	79'85	330'68	15'09	27'34	17'86	95'37	23'96	21'45	...	1203'63
November	513'05	82'70	75'35	301'77	15'47	27'46	18'79	89'88	25'22	19'35	...	1169'08
December	494'77	76'16	60'23	297'53	15'39	18'94	19'03	92'38	27'42	19'70	...	1121'58
1876.												
January	511'47	76'75	60'04	329'15	12'53	19'24	17'76	101'61	24'07	24'35	...	1177'01
February	495'87	70'92	55'30	291'47	11'80	14'11	17'63	115'33	26'00	29'67	...	1123'15
March	470'17	69'36	63'12	281'20	7'29	10'51	16'29	120'64	25'96	35'40	...	1099'99
April	451'89	67'88	61'38	271'98	9'11	9'67	17'87	119'50	26'36	37'50	...	1073'10
May	438'33	72'20	63'65	283'49	9'31	10'76	18'94	113'12	24'71	35'83	...	1070'38
June	495'78	76'56	65'59	301'36	11'17	15'44	19'19	113'88	23'76	33'80	...	1158'58
July	478'89	76'81	64'85	315'20	15'22	15'18	17'16	113'47	23'96	33'03	...	1153'81
August	480'24	90'20	68'27	360'07	16'34	15'94	16'32	103'77	18'82	20'90	...	1190'98
September	504'96	83'09	69'87	320'46	18'68	18'31	17'40	102'22	24'62	15'44	...	1175'20
October	494'29	75'81	62'14	316'42	18'43	17'65	17'09	113'36	21'07	8'78	...	1145'07
November	494'07	72'86	62'68	354'73	12'21	15'04	18'96	133'62	20'42	8'45	...	1193'07
December	506'17	76'02	56'07	375'15	5'47	13'41	20'23	119'46	17'32	7'86	...	1197'19

* Trichinopoly circulation incorporated with that of Madras from November 1872.

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Currency Notes in Circulation in India, in Lakhs and Thousands of Rupees.

• LAST DAY OF	Calcutta.	Allaha- bad.	Lahore.	Bombay.	Akola.	Nagpur.	Kur- rahee.	Madras.	Calicut.	Coco- nada.		• TOTAL.
1877.												
January	566'48	70'48	55'24	374'25	5'24	9'00	20'54	114'65	16'12	11'88	...	1243'62
February	540'01	58'18	63'99	356'84	5'26	13'94	20'32	116'56	17'02	14'91	...	1207'07
March	545'36	44'66	55'05	323'06	5'55	9'80	17'09	119'80	16'11	25'25	...	1161'78
April	478'19	49'57	57'43	323'54	5'17	8'00	14'39	134'44	18'79	23'48	...	1113'05
May	525'68	45'67	63'74	323'81	4'92	8'53	17'64	118'03	23'21	23'23	...	1154'52
June	576'24	47'88	57'41	361'03	16'08	10'86	19'33	138'65	21'12	18'79	...	1267'43
July	537'81	49'49	62'11	394'50	13'44	12'47	22'13	160'56	24'68	7'06	...	1285'20
August	531'67	60'06	60'67	325'86	7'89	10'34	24'92	154'87	29'90	8'69	...	1214'91
September	627'76	45'74	58'93	256'74	12'12	10'47	26'05	167'87	24'76	8'68	...	1239'17
October	584'24	63'42	58'48	344'45	14'11	10'27	24'72	184'54	25'16	9'36	...	1318'78
November	702'65	57'51	52'09	425'02	8'13	8'60	24'84	164'62	21'52	9'16	...	1474'21
December	705'61	57'55	46'18	482'45	4'11	6'28	22'04	149'91	18'09	12'35	...	1504'62
1878.												
January	730'40	62'42	46'16	498'15	4'10	6'93	22'88	152'96	21'24	18'28	...	1563'56
February	674'52	58'42	45'35	393'53	15'28	7'48	22'64	146'03	18'85	25'16	...	1407'31
March	684'18	58'10	47'86	344'71	5'57	6'70	22'19	144'27	15'34	28'51	...	1357'47
April	661'95	60'64	53'34	319'65	12'74	7'16	25'26	142'22	14'19	32'77	...	1329'94
May	641'18	74'61	46'31	326'39	12'25	11'03	23'26	141'89	12'84	19'31	...	1309'12
June	700'55	82'62	45'83	305'11	15'17	17'84	22'27	161'27	16'60	19'36	...	1386'68
July	724'76	77'81	43'50	304'94	16'65	25'57	22'97	146'45	20'70	23'64	...	1407'03
August	712'25	84'32	47'74	333'00	19'58	24'33	21'89	131'46	20'55	32'23	...	1427'40
September	629'05	73'60	63'01	386'22	22'65	23'32	22'23	131'91	21'63	32'40	...	1406'06
October	630'69	58'21	49'79	391'58	23'31	20'30	27'47	117'99	20'24	30'61	...	1370'23
November	618'11	38'83	47'19	411'34	23'30	19'89	30'60	106'21	19'21	31'16	...	1345'91
December	612'58	49'49	45'09	332'50	22'58	17'91	30'64	111'34	18'18	28'26	...	1268'61
1879.												
January	584'38	66'74	45'82	324'49	5'97	11'70	25'37	113'35	16'58	20'51	...	1214'97
February	643'83	51'16	48'53	282'91	5'92	11'07	26'59	111'98	16'31	21'92	...	1220'25
March	564'48	46'73	47'04	295'90	18'44	10'59	23'03	111'66	14'93	9'51	...	1142'36
April	537'92	47'99	48'59	318'62	7'71	10'92	20'06	109'36	17'63	8'31	...	1127'14
May	515'22	40'05	53'73	326'76	8'77	13'27	22'92	108'89	17'47	9'99	...	1117'12
June	555'94	52'00	69'30	309'18	19'98	19'58	23'86	105'95	17'32	8'95	...	1182'11
July	614'42	50'52	63'51	282'47	23'63	27'78	25'55	108'76	17'78	9'72	...	1224'19
August	660'47	48'92	68'04	264'58	26'74	28'11	26'59	121'88	19'68	9'01	...	1274'05
September	709'09	51'81	67'20	272'23	27'44	26'95	25'88	125'07	18'71	8'55	...	1332'98
October	701'04	36'76	65'63	301'33	27'85	26'31	27'90	137'70	25'99	8'37	...	1358'11
November	677'27	51'02	71'77	331'74	27'99	24'08	32'10	121'03	21'53	16'18	...	1374'75
December	667'84	49'16	70'79	368'55	27'60	20'60	28'55	118'68	18'69	9'25	...	1379'70
1880.												
January	710'12	50'71	64'83	391'22	14'99	16'05	26'24	123'32	14'11	11'29	...	1422'93
February	602'25	45'87	68'25	403'66	12'91	14'14	29'81	123'43	13'91	13'91	...	1328'19
March	567'08	50'14	74'24	333'97	11'93	12'63	31'15	123'99	13'19	17'41	...	1235'77
April	598'41	46'61	86'22	323'67	11'98	13'21	34'66	145'32	13'91	14'49	...	1288'52
May	594'13	45'59	84'26	338'32	14'69	23'53	29'12	149'72	14'72	15'55	...	1309'70
June	629'69	43'45	82'70	333'88	25'50	29'18	33'25	157'40	13'67	15'26	...	1364'03
July	642'81	43'01	78'98	346'46	28'26	30'96	33'79	156'02	14'45	16'40	...	1391'18
August	588'13	47'81	145'98	347'94	30'07	30'06	32'19	124'76	14'62	13'33	...	1374'94
September	626'31	50'78	86'64	355'86	29'72	29'44	35'05	103'03	16'43	13'60	...	1346'92
October	665'63	41'89	97'03	333'13	29'80	28'92	37'91	95'98	17'95	7'13	...	1355'43
November	747'71	52'26	94'69	332'28	29'81	32'15	38'26	98'53	17'12	6'95	...	1449'80
December	745'52	59'04	88'18	324'99	28'52	29'00	39'38	101'13	14'32	7'20	...	1437'68
1881.												
January	698'62	73'09	85'04	356'17	18'65	15'70	33'55	113'80	10'69	6'82	...	1412'13
February	654'75	71'46	94'25	299'09	16'98	15'64	33'81	116'60	11'69	10'70	...	1324'97
March	656'54	66'76	86'52	313'50	17'07	14'26	34'35	119'55	17'78	13'84	...	1340'17
April	597'25	49'02	96'02	309'53	17'27	13'62	33'63	136'16	16'06	17'02	...	1285'58
May	600'41	40'61	97'82	337'84	22'48	16'15	31'74	122'14	15'54	16'26	...	1300'99
June	639'19	51'34	91'85	365'36	22'46	19'72	34'13	113'29	17'27	17'42	...	1372'03
July	652'70	47'24	88'84	372'35	22'31	23'46	39'32	125'06	14'59	18'40	...	1404'27
August	673'68	67'38	77'80	397'17	9'73	15'63	31'66	128'87	12'67	7'96	...	1422'55
September	628'25	84'45	78'62	371'16	5'35	11'31	34'42	123'20	13'48	4'54	...	1354'77
October	639'25	68'82	74'08	377'93	4'54	8'44	32'40	118'97	11'35	3'33	...	1339'11
November	630'20	83'43	74'16	334'52	3'24	7'30	32'69	121'92	17'09	2'91	...	1307'46
December	635'57	82'04	75'23	322'32	2'57	4'60	40'07	129'42	20'12	2'79	...	1314'75
1882.												
January	654'53	98'69	74'11	337'68	2'07	3'17	30'44	119'08	16'90	2'45	...	1339'13
February	686'80	106'76	73'41	320'31	1'77	2'71	28'41	135'62	16'02	2'36	...	1374'16
March	688'04	86'58	73'95	345'89	1'64	2'62	30'72	146'04	13'17	2'07	...	1390'70
April	687'23	57'53	80'16	389'37	...	...	34'88	154'73	16'09	...	...	1419'99
May	672'87	61'98	77'01	452'00	...	...	34'15	156'43	12'81	...	...	1467'25
June	680'98	81'04	71'82	457'64	...	...	29'93	150'36	18'44	...	...	1491'11
July	691'22	93'22	74'59	475'13	...	...	29'15	143'61	21'96	...	...	1528'88
August	724'29	82'59	90'82	464'64	...	...	30'33	126'09	13'09	...	...	1528'85
September	693'16	79'83	96'16	490'15	...	...	31'42	117'35	19'85	...	...	1527'92
October	690'97	89'14	107'04	531'56	...	...	32'83	116'16	14'09	...	...	1581'79
November	759'74	81'35	69'97	560'14	...	...	28'34	110'86	15'04	...	...	1625'44
December	789'40	96'74	70'98	491'83	...	...	37'72	120'65	8'82	...	...	1616'14
1883.												
January	748'75	103'89	65'41	442'89	...	...	35'76	132'41	7'69	...	...	1536'80
February	701'01	99'95	64'35	399'34	...	...	32'77	136'83	7'78	...	...	1442'03
March	751'09	81'72	73'12	353'53	...	...	31'24	151'26	8'68	...	...	1450'64